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LONDON NOTES

The "Yards" New Chief?

(Special Air Mail Service)

It is being suggested that next year Lord Trenchard may go to the Air Ministry to supervise the creation of the new R.A.F. squadrons, writes a correspondent.

I understand that the Home Office have already considered the question of Lord Trenchard's successor at Scotland Yard and that their choice is likely to fall on Capt. P. J. Silitoe, the present Chief Constable of Glasgow.

Captain Silitoe is a rigid disciplinarian and has firm convictions of his own which he is not afraid to put into practice.

Since he went to Glasgow, in 1931, he has created new schemes for police efficiency which are now being copied by many other cities.

Even Scotland Yard adopted one of his anti-bandit plans.

When Captain Silitoe was Chief Constable at Sheffield he sprang one of his biggest surprises.

The police football team had met to discuss the season's fixtures. They were told by Captain Silitoe that football was no longer the approved sport, and that they had better play hockey.

He pointed out that 16 policemen had been injured during the previous season — some very seriously—causing a loss of 231 days.

He therefore insisted on the men playing a less dangerous game.

Captain Silitoe's hobby is big game hunting.

"EMPIRE GAMES SENSATION"

Of the making of many sensations there is no end. One of the competitors in the six miles race at the Empire games yesterday was M. A. Dookie, a young negro from Trinidad who runs with bare feet. After running nearly four miles he dropped out. This morning one of our livelier newspapers printed an interview with him in which he complained that he was unfairly treated, hindered, bumped, and pushed, and that on account of this he was forced every now and then to sprint. As the result, it was stated, "the skin of his toes was in ribbons, four of his toes were black with blood blisters, and the ball of each foot was badly scarred."

On reading this the English captain took Dr. E. Moir one of the officialy appointed medical officers of the sports, to examine Dookie's feet, and Dr. Moir found that, apart from one small blister, they were unmarked.

The cause of the jostling was plain to every observer on the ground. Dookie is totally inexperienced in running of this sort, and was continually bumping into inoffensive competitors. On one occasion, when running beside R. Rankine, a Canadian, he bored in towards him so heavily that Rankine had to fend him off with his arm so as not to be pushed off the track. The other runners were not pleased, but they and the officials realised that Dookie was erring through inexperience and not maliciously. So far as could be seen, no competitor treated him unfairly.

SERIOUS MOTOR OFFENCE

Briton Fined In Shanghai

Shanghai, Aug. 22.

The third Briton within a few months to be found guilty on the same charges, E.W. Westwood was yesterday ordered to pay the maximum fine £50 on a charge of driving a motorcar under the influence of liquor.

He was fined a further £50 for reckless and dangerous driving and Mex $25 for driving without a licence.

In the event of default of payment of the fines on the first two charges, he would have to serve a prison sentence of two months.
Reuter.

WRECK OF THE "EGYPT"

More Gold Bullion Recovered

London, Aug. 21.

Gold bullion valued at about £162,000 was brought to Plymouth to-day by the Italian salvage ship, Artiglio from the wreck of the liner "Egypt" which sank off Ushant over twelve years ago after collision in fog.

The consignment reaching Plymouth consists of 38 bars of 400 ounces each, 44 bars of 100 ounces, 13 bars of 371 ounces and fifteen thousand sovereigns.

Practically all the gold valued at over £1,000,000 lost when the "Egypt" sank in a depth of 400 feet has now been recovered.

Work has extended over six seasons, the first two of which were occupied in locating the wreck. Work was further delayed when the first Artiglio and its crew of experts were lost in an explosion which occurred in another wreck soon after the "Egypt" had been located.—
—British Wireless.

BRITAIN'S NEW AIRMAIL SERVICE RESUMED

London, Aug. 21.

Although Monday's violent gale had not entirely subsided yesterday, Britain's new inland airmail service was in full service.—
British Wireless.

The new postal and passenger air service, linking London, Birmingham, Manchester, Belfast and Glasgow, was inaugurated on Monday though rough weather caused the first plane from Belfast to London to abandon the flight at Manchester.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

To-day

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23.

Auctions.—Sale of Crown Lands, Land Office, Ping Shan, 11.30 a.m.

Cinemas.

King's:—"The Man Is Mine."
Queen's:—"All Of Me."
Central: — "Carl Hagenbeck's Circus"
Oriental:—"Hidden Gold."
World:—"Shooting Straight."
Tai Ping:—"Air Armada."
Lee:—"King Kong"
Alhambra:—"The Mad Genius."
Majestic: — "All Men Are Enemies"
Star:—"The Woman Between."

Lectures.—Mr. A. N. Betts on "Miniature Photography," "S.C.-M.P." Building, 5.30 p.m.

Meetings.—Theosophical Society 17, Queen's Road Central, Study Class, 6 p.m.

Miscellaneous. — Whist Drives Civil Service C.C., 8.45 p.m., R.A.O.B. Club, 8.30 p.m.

Moon.—VII. Moon 14th Day.

Sports

Aquatics.—Headquarter Wing, S. Wales Borderers, Y.M.C.A. Bath.

Lawn Bowls.—Junior Division: Indian R.C. v. Club de Recreio, 5 p.m.

Snooker.—Entries close for Open Championship.

Sunrise.—6.02 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 7.25 and 21.45. Low at 0.50 and 14.48.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Bartholomew. Stopping of Heat. (Ch'u-shu). Spirits' Festival. (Chung-yüan-chieh).

Cinemas

King's:—"This Man Is Mine."
Queen's:—"All Of Me."
Central: — "Carl Hagenbeck's Circus"
Oriental:—"Reaching For The Moon."
World:—"Shooting Straight."
Tai Ping:—"Air Armada."
Lee:—"King Kong"
Alhambra:—"The Mad Genius."
Majestic:—"Orient Express"
Star:—"The Fugitive"

Lectures.—Mrs. Forster Addresses the Christian Fellowship Meeting Helena May Institute, 10.30 a.m.

Meetings: —Twentieth Annual, Kowloon Football Club, Pavilion, 5.45 p.m.

Moon.—VII. Moon, 15th Day.

Principal Mails

Inward from America by Pres Jefferson; from Europe via Siberia by Ranpura.

Outward for America and Europe via Siberia by Empress of Canada, 10 a.m.

Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.43 p.m.

Tides.—High at 8.20 and 22.10: Low at 1.46 and 15.23.

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Film Combines Music And Mystery

There have been many musical and backstage pictures; and there have been equally as many films dealing with the diabolical designs of fiendish murderers; Paramount brings to the screen the first picture combining the two. "Murder at the Vanities" the film version of Earl Carroll's successful current-season stage hit, coming to the King's Theatre on Saturday, mixes music and mystery for the first time.

With eleven of Earl Carroll's beauties, Carl Brisson, noted continental and English screen and stage star, Victor McLaglen, Jack Oakie, Kitty Crilsle and Duke Ellington and his famous orchestra, "Murder at the Vanities" tells of premiere of a brand new musical show. The two stars Brisson and Miss Carlisle, late in arriving, brings news that they are to be married.

Gertrude Micheal, jealous, vows to get even with Brisson. Later when the wardrobe mistress meets Brisson, it is evident she is his mother No one knows this but Miss Michael. Once a famous opera star, his mother is wanted in Vienna for murder. The jealous girl is aware of this. To prevent further trouble from her a hired detective is detailed to watch her. Then, while the orchestra is gaily playing and the girls are dancing and singing to a throng of first-nighters the sinister hand of a murderer stalks backstage.

Two crimes are committed. McLaglen, sure-shot detective is called and the manner in which he solves the unique situation while the musical show goes on is both thrilling and entertaining.

Mitchell Leisen directed the picture from an original by Earl Carroll and Rufus King. Carroll went to Hollywood to supervise the film production, taking along eleven of his famous New York beauties. The screen play was written by Carey Wilson and Josep Gollomb.

Jack Oakie gets a break in "Murder at the Vanities"

Where Does Earl Carroll Get His Beauties?

FAMED PRODUCER OF "VANITIES" TELLS HOW 7,000 GIRLS ANSWER CALL FOR CHORUS

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Earl Carroll's girls are the most beautiful in the world year after year in each succeeding "Vanities."

Are Blondes Preferred?

When asked if "Gentlemen still prefer blondes—and if so why? Carroll is not in the least baffled.

"They really do," he explains. Eyes travel automatically toward bright light. Glitter and light attract every gaze However many of our most beautiful girls in the Vanities are not blonde. There are many lovely brunettes, ash-blonde and titian-haired beauties who can compete very sucessfully with any blonde in the world, no matter how strong her magnetism may be.

Because Carroll is a super-sensitive man with a wealth of quiet poise he applies expert psychology to bring out the best qualities in every girl he selects. Contrary to many old-fashioned views of the theatrical producer Carroll does not tolerate the least profanity or the slightest evidence of garishness in any of his girls. They are encouraged and expected to dress smartly, but with good taste. They are instructed to get plenty of sleep so that they may be up and out in the sunshine by eleven o'clock each morning. Earl Carroll teaches these girls to find their beauty aids in Nature's supply of medicine—the sun the fresh air and the fruit and vegetables which grow out of doors.

CARL BRISSON WINS U. S. A.

Carl Brisson, the famous Danish-English star, has completely won over America with his first Paramount picture, Murder at The Vanities.

So successful was the preview of the film that Brisson has been besieged ever since. He has had to engage five people to deal with callers, telephone inquiries, and letters, and it is very rarely that he leaves his house.

Hundreds of letters from business never before has a star had such him if he will allow his name to be used in connection with their products. Enthusiastic "fans" are going to such extremes that Brisson has the greatest difficulty in preventing them from camping on his lawn!

Scene from RKO-Radio's "Strictly Dynamite."

Richard Dix has married his secretary, twenty-four-year-old Virginea Webster. They only met a few months ago when Miss Webster answered Dix's advertisement in a Los Angeles newspaper.

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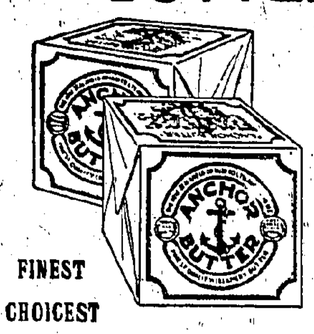

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REAL BEAUTIES NEVER FOUND

Small Towns Hide Loveliest Says "Vanities" Producer

America's most beautiful girls never reach the stage or screen. They remain "undiscovered" in small towns scattered throughout the country, never coming to the attention of play and picture producers.

This is the opinion of Earl Carroll, who has produced eleven editions of his famous "Vanities" and who brought eleven of his Broadway girls to Hollywood for Paramount's film version of his stage hit "Murder at the Vanities." It is coming on Saturday to the King's Theatre, with Carl Brisson, Victor McLaglen, Jack Oakie, Kitty Carlisle, and Duke Ellington and his famous orchestra.

FEAR OF STAGE

"An age-old fear of the stage keeps parents from permitting their daughters to come to the two great beauty centers," Carroll said "A girl must come either to New York or to Hollywood to be seen. Many people still retain the erroneous belief that the stage and screen are not fit places for decent young ladies. They will not permit their daughters to become affiliated with the theatre.

"In truth both Hollywood and New York offer a girl the equal of a finishing school education—if she is beautiful. She is taught diction and voice, she learns grace and naturalness and ease. Through companionship and associations she becomes conversant with the social amenities. She learns how to keep her youth and beauty.

GIRLS GET REAL CHANCE

"When parent eventually realize that we are offering the girls both an education and a chance to earn a high salary I believe that we will see even more beautiful girls on the stage and screen than we do now."

"VANITIES" BEAUTIES IN PARAMOUNT FILM

Eleven of "the most beautiful girls in the World—came from New York to Hollywood—With Earl Carroll to appear in the Paramount filmization of his "Murder at the Vanities" showing at the King's Theatre on Saturday

Robert Young has taken Franchot Tone's place in the M.G.M. baseball thriller, Death on the Diamond. Lionel Barrymore will also be in the cast.

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Carl Brisson's next film for Paramount will be "All the King's Horses." Kitty Carlisle will again be his leading lady.

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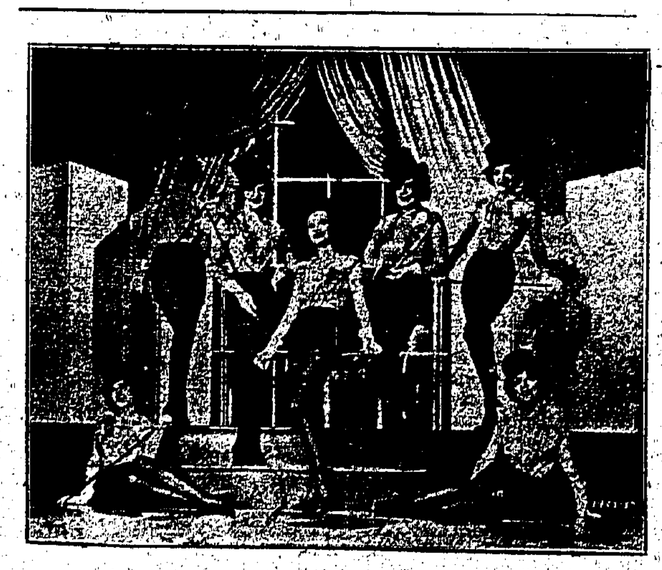
"The Cosmopolitan" is the title of a new dance which Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers will perform in "Gay Divorce."



A scene from "Murder at the Vanities"—Here are seven of the Selected beauties

All Hollywood is saying that never before has a star had such a sensational debut in a picture.

Paramount in introducing two of its stars of the future in "Murder in the Vanities." These are Carl Brisson and Kitty Carlisle.

He plays the part of the star in an Earl Carroll Vanities show in New York. While girls are singing and dancing and while the audience are attuned to the frivolity of the show a mysterious murder takes place. The police are called in, and no sooner are they in the theatre when a second and more mysterious murder is committed.

Brisson sings a number of beautiful songs in that inimitable voice of his, and he has made his great success on a personality which is new to the American screen.

Murder At The Vanities, incidentally, is something quite new. It is the first time that anyone has attempted to link up a brilliant musical show with a murder mystery, and the director, Mitchell Leisen, has made a wonderful success with it.

Zita Percel, Hungarian actress, has been given a film contract on condition that she has one tenth of an inch filed off her front teeth.

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Peel the cucumber and cut it into pieces about two inches thick, of which the centre must be neatly scooped out.

Mix the hard-boiled eggs and the grated cheese and, when thoroughly pounded, mix in the butter, seasoning to taste and finally the tomato sauce.

Fill the pieces of cucumber with this mixture piling it up into a cone, and arrange in a dish with an upstanding frill of crisp lettuce leaves.

Tomato Dande

Add ounce of soaked gelatine to two cups of strained tomato juice, and when beginning to set pour half into a border mould. Pact in a cup of flafled prawns and fill up with the rest of the jelly.

Turn out and fill the centre with mayonnaise, make a border of shredded lettuce and decorate with a few prawns.

Carrots and Salmon

To one part tinned salmon flaked add one part raw carrots that have been put through the mincer and cover with a small amount of French dressing. Combine and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

BANANA CUSTARD

Two eggs (separated), ½ cup corn sirup, 1 teaspoon cornstarch, 2 tablespoons cold milk, 2 cups boiling milk, bananas (sliced), 1 teaspoon sugar. Mix yolk of eggs with syrup and cornstarch, moistened with cold milk. Pour this into boiling milk and cook until it thickens, stirring constantly. Place bananas in a pudding dish and pour custard over them. Add a pinch of salt to egg white and beat them to a stiff froth, then beat sugar into them. Pile on top of custard and brown lightly in oven.

GELATIN MAKES LUSCIOUS PIES

Cherry Pie Glace

- 2½ cups or 1 can red cherries, drained
- ½ cup sugar
- 1 package cherry gelatin
- 2½ cups warm cherry juice and water
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 baked 9-inch pie shell

Combine cherries and sugar. Dissolve gelatin in warm cherry juice and water. Add salt and pour over cherries. Chill. When slightly thickened, turn into cold pie shell. Chill until firm.

Marvel Lemon Pie

- 1 package lemon gelatin
- ½ cup sugar
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- Grated rind of 2 lemons
- 1½ cups boiling water
- 2 eggs yolks
- Juice of 2 lemons
- 1 baked 9-inch pie shell

Combine gelatin, sugar, salt and lemon rind with 3 tablespoons water. Add egg yolks and stir well. Add remaining water, stirring until gelatin is dissolved. Add lemon juice. Chill. When slightly thickened, turn into cold pie shell. Chill until firm. Cover with three-minutes meringue or top with whpped cream, if desired.

Three-Minute Meringue

Put 2 unbeaten egg whites, ½ cup sugar, dash of salt, and 2 tablespoons water in upper part of double boiler. Beat with rotary egg beater until thorougly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water and beat 1 minute; then remove from fire and continue beating 2 minutes longer, or until mixture will stand in peaks. Add few drops vanilla or almond extract. Beat well.

DELICIOUS NEW GELATIN TREATS

Coconut Royal Cream

- 1 package lime or orange flavored gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 egg
- ½ cup sugar
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 2 cups milk
- 1 cup grated coconut

Prepare the custard by adding the salt to the egg yolk and beating it with the milk. Cook in double boiler until custard sticks to the spoon. Chill. Dissolve gelatin in the boiling water. Chill, and when it begins to set, mix with the cold custard the grated coconut and the well beaten white of egg. Pour into mould. Chill until firm. You may serve this plain or it may be garnished with whipped cream.

Mango Charlotte

- 1 package strawberry gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 cup cold water
- Pinch of salt
- 2 cups crushed mango
- 1 cup whipped cream
- 2 tablespoons chopped nuts

Dissolve the gelatin in boiling water. Add the cold water and salt. Cool this mixture and when it begins to set, add the crushed mango pulp. Beat with an egg beater until it is foamy. Add the whipped cream and nuts. Set in mould.

Fresh Berry Souffles

- 1 package strawberry gelatin
- 1 cup finely mashed raspberries, strawberries or any other berries, sweetened
- 1 cup boiling water

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add berries. Chill until mixture begins to thicken. Then whip with egg beater to a very stiff froth. Pile lightly into sherbet glasses. Serve with lady fingers or cookies.

TOMATO JAM

To The Editor, Hong Kong Daily Press

Dear Sir:—

A short while ago I noted "Tomato Jam" among your recipes, and that is rarely made elsewhere but Africa. Now, this is a great jam made in Australia, with ripe also green tomatoes, the latter being like Gooseberry jam. I have grown myself 172lbs tomatoes from 1/-packet seeds. Tomato jam is somewhat like strawberry if made with pineapple.

Here is the recipe. Very Good.

Method:

(1) Take 6 lbs ripe tomatoes but firm 2 Pineapples (peeled).
(2) Dip tomatoes in hot water for 2 minutes and remove skin.
(3) Put tomatoes and shredded pineapple to simmer until a pulp.
(4) Add ¾ cup sugar to every cup of fruit and ¾ cup sugar over.
(5) Shred very finely 1 large lemon and add to the jam.
(6) Simmer down very slowly until jam sets.

Mock Ginger Very Good.

Take 3 lbs peeled marrow, 8 good teacups of sugar, rind and juice of 2 lemons, 4 teaspoons ground ginger.

Method:

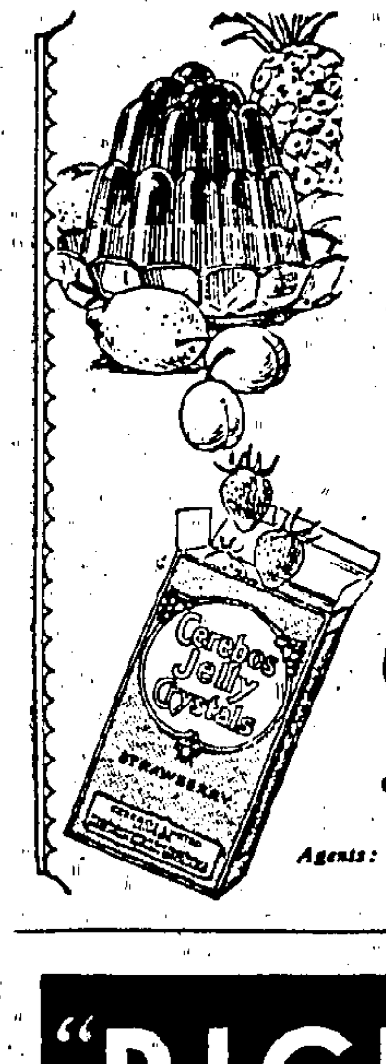
(1) Cut marrow into small squares.
(2) Put into a pan with lemon peel and juice and sugar.
(3) Boil without stirring until liquid is clear and sets.

Australia is a wonderful place for jam making.

Yours etc., "Housewife"

CORN MUFFINS

Cream together ½ cup butter and ½ cup sugar, then 2 eggs well beaten, then add, well sifted together, 1½ cups each of flour, cornmeal and 2 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt. Add alternately with 1 cup milk; fill well-greased muffin tins three quarters full. Bake at 400 degrees F. 20 to 25 minutes. All measurements are level.



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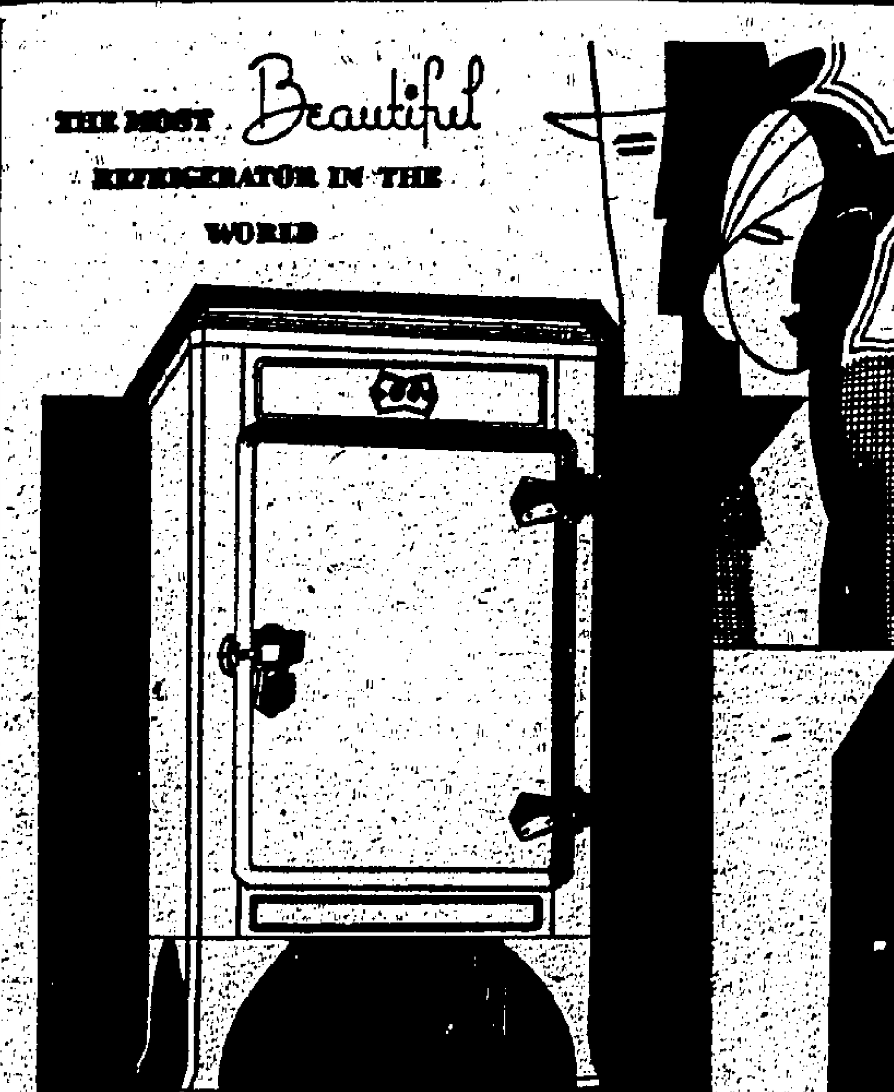

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10.40 p.m., Close Down.
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Hansel and Gretel—Overture, (Humperdinck) ..... Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Albert Coates.
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Carissima (Elgar)
Salut D'Amour (Elgar) ..... New Symphony Orchestra directed by Sir Edward Elgar, O.M., K.C.V.O.
8.53-9.10 p.m., Love Duet from "Tristan and Isolde" (Wagner) ..... sung by Frida Leider (Soprano) and Lauritz Melchior (Tenor) ..... with the Berlin State Opera Orchestra directed by Albert Coates.
9.10-9.27 p.m., Hungarian Fantasia (Liszt) ..... Arthur de Greef and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald
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9 p.m., Dja Announcement (German, English).
German Folk Song
Preview of Programme (German, English)
9 p.m., Travels and Adventures: Curious Experiences with Animals. Paul Spartz.
9.30 p.m., Songs from the Romantic Opera by Humperdinck "Konigskinder"
Josef Schommer (Tenor-, Herta Sahlke (Soprano)
9.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
10 p.m., Romance in Steel: Technical Achievements in a City of Four Millions
11 p.m., Latest News (German)
11.15 p.m., Timely Topics.
11.30 p.m., Entertaining Concert
11.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
12 midnight, Dja Sign Off (German, English)

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

7 p.m., Time Signal from Big Ben. The Rutland Square and New Victoria Orchestra, directed by Norman Austin, relayed from the New Victoria Cinema, Edinburgh.
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GLAMIS CROWDS

Early Out To Greet Princesses

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

A wet morning did not prevent holiday-makers and residents at Glamis, Forfarshire, from turning out in force to extend a welcome to the Duke and Duchess of York and the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose on their arrival there yesterday.

Even at the early hour of the Princesses' arrival—6 a.m.—the pretty little Glamis station presented an active sight, some people having come many miles to get a glimpse of the royal visitors. And there was a huge battery of press cameramen.

Arm in Sling

The Duke and Duchess arrived at ten o'clock on the busy northbound train, and there was a big crowd to greet them. When they alighted they shook hands with Mr. Bucan, the stationmaster, and Mr. D. C. Christie, the Chief Constable of Forfarshire.

The Duke had his arm in a sling, but golf clubs were observed among his luggage, so he may be anticipating a game. The sporting note was heightened by the golden Labrador dog Jock, which he led, while the Duchess led her little Welsh cattle dog Dooky.

A pleasing incident occurred as the party were leaving the station. As the train pulled out from the station its holidaymaker-passengers leaned from the windows, and they were waved a cheery farewell by their distinguished fellow-passenger, the Duchess, who looked charming in blue coat and soft pink hat.

During her stay at Glamis the Duchess has consented to perform the opening ceremony at Forfar Horticultural Society's annual show in the Reid Hall on Thursday, August 16.

COLOUR FILMS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

So much has been said, and so little done, in the matter of coloured films, that successive ideas have received scant attention, writes a correspondent. However, I heard to-day that a coming production called "La Cucaracha" will be nearer nature than any other colour film show in London. This two-reeler has been made on a three-colour process which includes every tint in the spectrum. At any rate, the strange and sickly hues which have blurred the screen in the past are avoided. It seems that three strips of celluloid are exposed at once, and by this method the three primary shades can be superimposed upon each other. The results are the best seen so far. Owing to the encouraging success of this experiment the process will be given a trial in a full-length picture.

MISS MERLE OBERON

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

It was stated in Paris last night that the engagement of Miss Merle Oberon, the British screen star, and Mr. Joseph Schenck, the film director, was now "official." When the rumour was spread on Monday Miss Oberon denied it. Mr. Schenck also admitted it was not the fact, though he indicated that the report was merely premature. Miss Oberon's best-known film is "The Private Life of Henry the Eighth," in which she took the part of Anne Boleyn.

Miss Oberon, who is at Nice, last night confirmed the Paris report of her engagement.

Mr. Schenck told Reuter last night that the marriage will probably take place in England in a month's time.

ROUND THE CRICKET FIELDS

Vain Victory Bid By Sussex

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

After putting Middlesex ahead on the first innings, J. L. Guise saved his county from defeat when the Sussex bowlers were sweeping everything before them at Hove. Set to get 226 to win in three hours, Middlesex had lost eight wickets for 90 when Guise, who received solid support from Webster, piloted the side to safety during the extra half-hour.

Rain prevented the game being resumed before one o'clock, but then Sussex, with their second innings total at 170 for five wickets, made good headway. Continuing his fine overnight innings, H. Parks stayed two and a half hours, and when Melville declared he remained unbeaten with 84 to his credit. His chief strokes were eight 4's.

Allen again proved the outstanding Middlesex bowler, taking five wickets for 18 runs each, to make his match record thirteen for 148.

Making their reply, Middlesex lost three wickets for 54, and though Hart batted steadily, six men were out with only 62 on the board. As usual, Robins attacked the bowling, only to be clean bowled at 89, and a run later Haig gave a simple return catch.

Sussex seemed set for a victory—till Guise and Webster came together to defy the attack.

HAMPSHIRE FOILED

When Gloucestershire lost half their wickets for 59 when set to get 215 to save the game at Bristol, Hampshire looked to have a chance of victory—and this after bad weather conditions had curtailed the day's play. Hampshire claimed the extra half-hour, but Graham Parker and Sinfield defended stubbornly to the close.

Leading by 134 with seven wickets in hand, when play resumed, Hampshire added 81 for the loss of three more batsmen before declaring. Pothecary took two hours and forty minutes over 61 a defensive innings which, in view of the time factor, helped Gloucester almost as much as it did his own county.

IDDON'S PATIENT HUNDRED

In the last over of the match Bowes took Lancashire's last wicket to give Yorkshire first innings points at Manchester. With no play possible on the second day, yesterday's cricket devolved into a fight for the lead—and the champions gained it by 18 runs.

Replying to Yorkshire's score of 291 for six declared, Lancashire had 193 on the board with three men out, thanks to a third-wicket stand of 142 in two hours and twenty minutes between Iddon and Pyldesley.

Iddon went on to hit a century in four hours fifty minutes—he was 120 minutes over his last 42—but after tea five wickets went down for 48.

SHOCK FOR LEICESTER

Need 34 To Beat Northants & Lost Five Wickets

Leicestershire lost five wickets when hitting off the 34 runs needed to beat Northamptonshire at Northampton. With Clark making the ball rise awkwardly four batsmen were out with only 16 on the board and half the team left for 27, but Shipman and Sharp saw the winning hit made.

It was a day of cheap wickets. Resuming their innings after a delay through rain Northants' five outstanding wickets went down for 30, Smith taking three for 11 in one spell and Marlow two for 5.

LEICESTER CAPTAINCY

W. K. Beisiegel is to captain Leicester for the remainder of the season, as A. G. Hazlerigg will not be available.

TWO INTERVALS IN HALF AN HOUR

With the pitch little affected by rain, a draw always looked inevitable in the match between Surrey and Notts at the Oval. Notts declared their second innings closed at half-past three, leaving Surrey a possible two hours and three-quarters in which to make 265 runs.

Surrey went in to bat at a quarter to four, and half an hour later there was an interval for tea. Thus we had two breaks in a very short time. But the rule of the ground is quite clear on this point, and rules are made to be observed, and must be observed.

I would, however, suggest to the Committee of the Surrey C.C.C. that the present rule should be reconsidered. I may be wrong, but I fancy that the cricket-loving public does not appreciate two intervals within so short a time.

Walker Gives A Change

Had Surrey obtained an early wicket at the start of play, we might have seen a keen finish. They were within an ace of doing so, for Walker, after hitting the first ball of the day for 4, was nearly caught at slip off the second ball sent down by Fender.

Harris played very well. He drove cleanly on both sides of the wicket before being caught at mid-off. He hit fourteen 4's, and his partnership with Walker for the second wicket produced 105 runs.

At lunch the score was 202 for two, and off the third ball after the interval Hardstaff was caught. Walker was had at slip five runs later off a swinging ball from Watts, for a stylish innings of 55, but Staples hit hard, making some fine hook strokes.

Voce Bowls Round Wicket

When Surrey went in Voce, for the first time during the match, bowled round the wicket, and in his opening over Sandham was caught at cover-point. Voce looked a far better bowler bowling from this side of the wicket, and was unlucky to have Gregory (15) missed at long-leg off him.

Or did he have much fortune with Watts who on at least four occasions, cocked the ball up just out of reach of one of the three short-legs.

Gregory is a magnificent on-side player, and, in particular, as good a hooker of a short-pitched ball as there is. He made some superb strokes of this description. He also cut square, and his partner, after a shaky start, began to the pavilion end, bowling slow, and certainly made the ball turn; but no wicket fell, and at six o'clock stumps were drawn.

£200,000 FOR WOMAN HOCKEY PLAYER

Miss Joan Muir Brown

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

Miss Joan Muir Brown, a well-known England and international hockey player, has inherited over £200,000 under the will of her father, Mr. Alfred Brown, of Horsell Grange, Woking.

Mr. Brown, who was chairman of the Colombo Commercial Company and on the board of several tea and rubber estates in Ceylon, left £224,195 (net personalty £215110). He left the whole of his property absolutely to Miss Brown, his only child.

Miss Brown is a keen all-round athlete excelling in hockey, cricket and swimming. Two years ago she was warmly commended by a coroner's jury for her gallant attempt to rescue a boy who was drowned in the River Wey.

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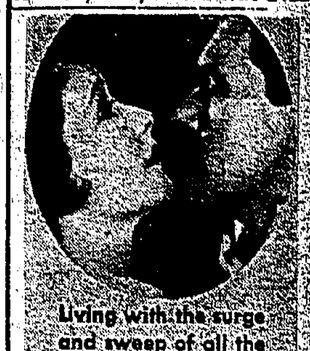

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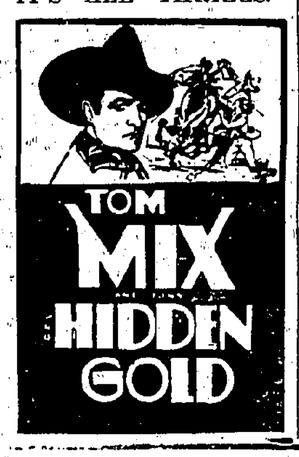

TO-MORROW & SATURDAY

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THE MAD GENIUS

Marian March As Leading Lady

Marian Marsh, who for the second time appears as leading lady to John Barrymore—this time in "The Mad Genius," the Warner Bros. picture showing to-day at the Alhambra Theatre, might have been unknown but for her elder sister, who while working as an extra used every means available to see that Marian got a chance for a screen test.

The fates willed it that Warner Bros. were at the time looking for new players and many were given an opportunity to face the cameras. Marian, in turn, thought of her brother, Edward Morgan, and the two went together in the studios, both had tests and both secured contracts.

Marian's big moment came when she was taken to Mr. Barrymore, who, though sick abed, at the time, was looking for a leading lady to lady the part of Trilby in "Svengali." Many were called for tryouts, but Marian was chosen. She looked the part and when the star heard her read some of the lines, he was convinced that no one else would do for Trilby.

Beside flowerlike and appealing beauty of face and form, Miss Marsh evidences the rare ability of entering into the personality of the part she plays. Perhaps the fact that the blood of English, German, French and Irish ancestors flows in her veins, aids her in catching varying moods.

She was born on the island of Trinidad and was brought to Hollywood by her parents while still a small child. All her schooling was obtained in the film capital.

Miss Marsh is the athletic type and excelled in basketball when in school. She is five feet two inches in height and her weight is one hundred and two pounds. She greatly resemble Dolores Costello, wife of Mr. Barrymore.

Miss Marsh has appeared recently in "Svengali," "The Road to Singapore" opposite William Powell, "Five Star Final" opposite Edward G. Robinson, and in "The Mad Genius."

Johnny Mack Brown will lead in eight Columbia pictures this season. It is intended to give him Jack Holt's place in action melodramas, while Holt is promoted to more pretentious material.

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Maureen O'Sullivan has joined the cast of "Hide-Out" the next Robert Montgomery film. Loretta Young was to have played the part, but has been prevented by illness.

"YOU SAID A MOUTHFUL"

Joe E. Brown's Latest

Joe E. Brown does some plain and fancy aquaplane stunts in his latest comedy hit, "You Said a Mouthful," the First National picture which is coming to the Alhambra Theatre on Sunday, in this he is aided and abetted by Preston S. Foster, both of whom are adepts with the sea planes in which they are hauled over the rough waters of the Pacific, at Catalina Island, at a terrific speed.

Joe playing the part of an artless youth, is induced to step on the board through a misapprehension, but manages to stick on by luck and finally topples into the water through sheer awkwardness.

Joe's ungainliness is stimulated for picture purposes, and when he plunges into the water it is really his skilled diving that makes it appear to be a fancy accident.

The story by William B. Dover is filled with uproarious situations in which Joe wins a marathon race although he has never swum before. Many new and novel comedy gags have been injected by Robert Lord and Bolton Mallory who wrote the screen play.

Ginger Rogers, Sheila Terry, Farina of "Our Gang" comedies Guinn Williams and Harry Gribbon are among those in the supporting cast. The picture was directed by Lloyd Bacon.

"ALL OF ME"

Showing At The Queen's

With Fredric March, Miriam Hopkins and George Raft in the leading roles "All Of Me," now showing at the Queen's Theatre is an exciting story of two young girls who hold different views in regard to love.

One of them, Lydia, the daughter of a millionaire, although yearning for romance, declines to return the true love of a struggling engineer, Don, while the other girl, Eve, in exactly opposite circumstances, finds happiness in her ex-convict lover, Honey.

Behind this background, is woven a human story which begins as soon as the four people meet together by chance.

During the evening Eve (Helen Mack), complains of feeling ill, and while Don (Fredric March) secures a taxi, her lover, Honey, (George Raft) steals Lydia's (Miriam Hopkins) pocket book.

In the hallway of Eve's tenement, Honey is met by a probation officer who finds the pocketbook on his person. Honey is arrested and sent to prison while Eve is taken to a reformatory. Meanwhile Don and Lydia have quarreled and parted. The latter receives a letter from Eve and responds to her plea for help.

The way in which they plan their escape in the course of which both Eve and Honey are killed, provides many an exciting moment, and the picture is brought to a thrilling climax when Lydia is arrested for being an accomplice.

"REACHING FOR THE MOON"

At The Oriental Theatre

Tossing away millions of dollars in a gamble for a girl's love is nothing to a romantic young man who is confident that he can always make more money, but that there is only one girl worth winning.

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It anticipated the trend two years hence and has backgrounds of a modernistic nature created by William Cameron Menzies.

New York is the principal locale, with Fairbanks, as a phenomenally successful stock broker who throws all commercial activities aside to pursue a girl who charms him away from the stock market. Bebe Daniels is the new type of society girl, immensely wealthy, made for luxury and actively going in for aviation.

Edward Everett Horton, one of the foremost drawing room comedians of the age, makes the picture sparkle with laughter and excellent work is done by a tried and true cast including Jack Muhall of stellar fame, Claud Allister, Emmett Corrigan, Walter Weiker, June MacCloy, Helen Jerome Eddy, Luana Walters, Full Tead and Adrienne d'Ambricourt.

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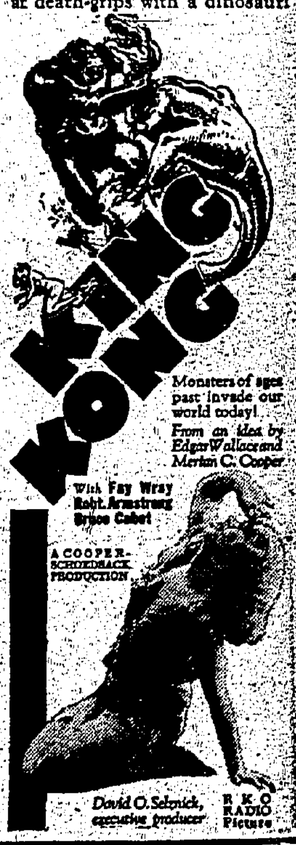

"THIS MAN IS MINE"

Showing At The King's

If you are a neglected wife, or a straying husband who seeks love and understanding everywhere but at home, you will find your problem picturized and solved in the RKO-Radio comedy-drama, "This Man Is Mine" in which Irene Dunn is starred and which is now at the King's Theatre.

The story, which is said to be based on the findings of modern psychologists, deals with a phase of American home life that is all too frequent, that in which the husband and wife are continuing to live together solely from force of habit, all the ardour gone from their original love. It then suggests a highly radical cure for this deplorable condition by showing how a courageous young wife and mother snapped her husband out of his lethargy by deliberately throwing him at a siren in the hope of causing him to become surfeited with her pseudo-love.

Miss Dunne is supported by a brilliant cast which includes Ralph Bellamy, Constance Cummings, Kay Johnson, Sidney Blackmer, Charles Starrett, Louis Mason and Vivian Tobin. John Cromwell directed.

SHOWING TO-DAY

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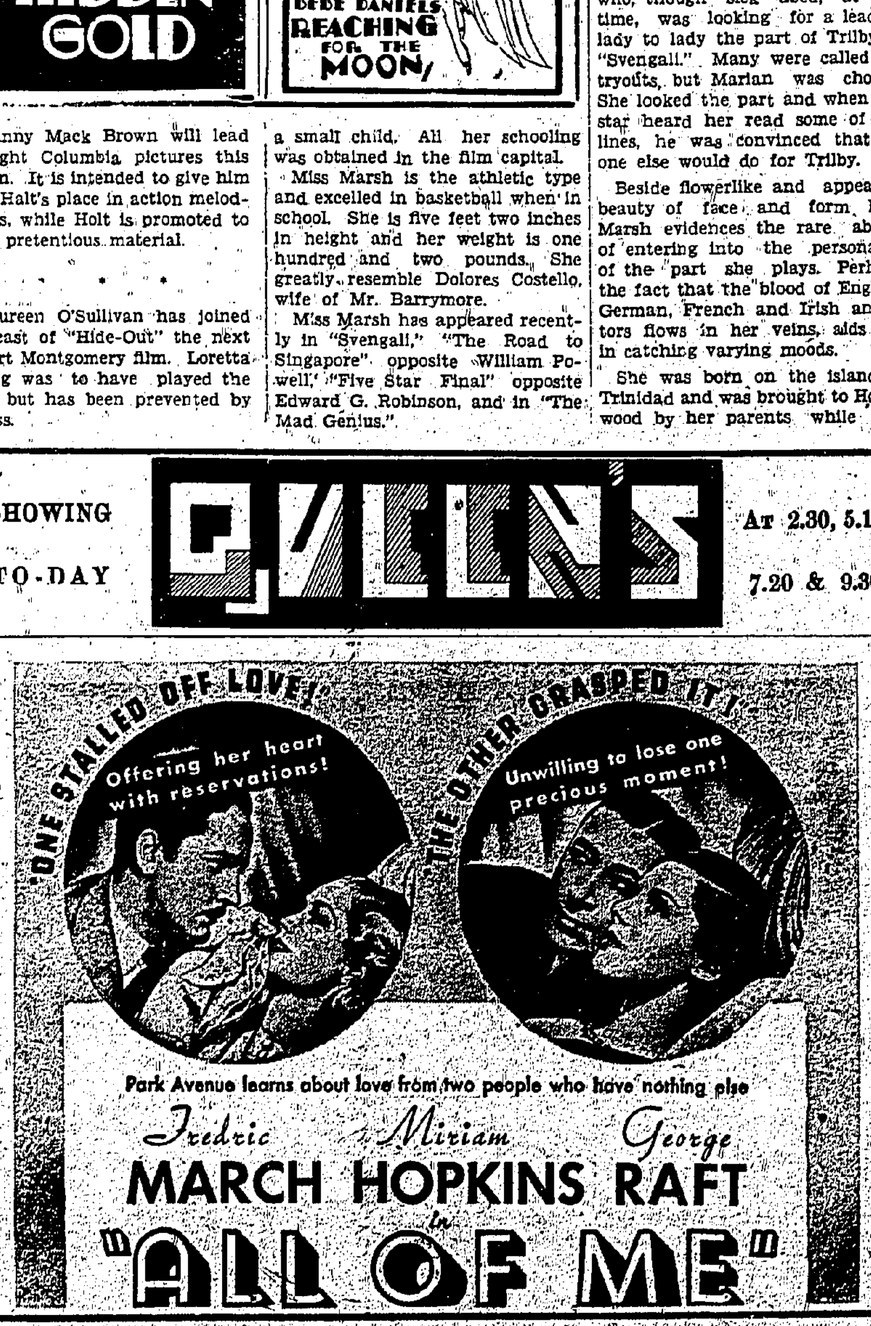
AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.20 & 9.30.



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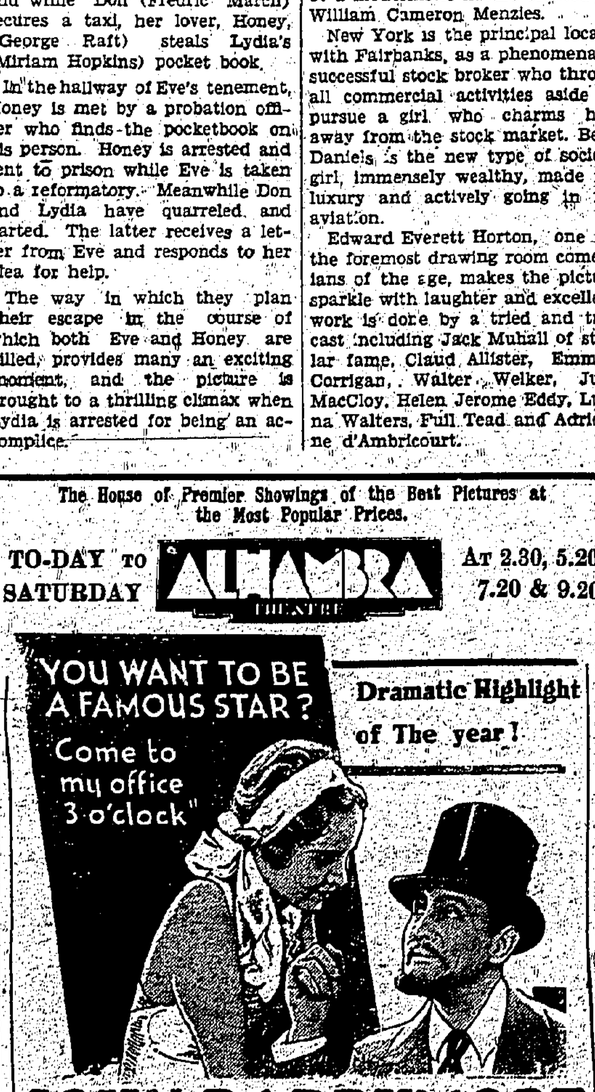

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Around the Courts

THE BRIBERY SYSTEM

A system of obtaining bribes from hawkers alleged to have been adopted by some members of the police force was revealed to Mr. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday when Gall Meer, Indian Police Constable No. B16, was charged with obtaining a bribe of forty cents from Yun Chi, a licensed hawker, in Sai Street on the afternoon of August 13.

According to Mr. L. H. Calthrop, A.S.P., prosecuting, the accused was seen taking the money from the hawker by Inspector K. W. Andrew of the S.C.A. who had occasion that day to go to No. 12 Sai Street, second floor in the course of his duties. Inspector Andrew entered the floor by the back door so that no one in Sai Street saw him. After having got into the floor, Inspector Andrew, by chance, looked down to the street from the verandah, and saw about ten hawkers selling vegetables and obstructing the street up to the junction of Lower Lascar Row. He saw accused standing near the end of the street, at the junction of Lower Lascar Row and approaching a hawker and after a few minutes of conversation saw him accepting some money from the hawker. He could not see what the money was made up of. On seeing this Inspector Andrew immediately instructed a Chinese district watchman who was with him at the time, to go down and arrest the hawker, at the same time pointing him out

The watchman accordingly went down to the street but as soon as he saw him, the hawker attempted to run away. He was, however, eventually arrested. Inspector Andrew in the meantime had also come down from the floor and followed the accused. He overtook him in Queen's Road and asked him why he accepted money from the hawker. The accused denied this but at the same time he was seen throwing some money to the ground. This was picked up by Inspector Andrew—three 10 cent pieces and two 5 cent pieces.

Mr. Calthrop then went on to say that the hawker Yun Chi would tell the Court that this was the third time he had collected money on behalf of the accused, and he had to do this otherwise he and the other hawkers in Sai Street would be arrested and charged with obstruction. The hawker gave the police certain assistance as a result of which the Police had managed to collect eight hawkers who admitted that they had given money to Yun Chi. They said they had done this for some time as they were afraid of being arrested. Of these hawkers, four had licenses.

There had been a regular system, said Mr. Calthrop, for a collector to go and get money from hawkers in Sai Street, and these hawkers were thus able to do their trade with immunity in that district.

It semed it had been the habit of employing a collector to obtain the bribes from the hawkers instead of going round one by one and collect the money. Through this system all that he had to do was to approach the collector who had in the meantime got the money from all the hawkers in the vicinity and thus it reduced the danger of being seen.

After Inspector Andrew had given evidence in support of Mr. Calthrop's statement, Yun Chi, the hawker, told the court that on the day in question he was hawking vegetables at the junction of Lower Lascar Road and Sai Street when he saw accused approaching. He attempted to run away but accused told him it was not necessary if he had some "kalli."

Mr. Calthrop explained to his Worship that "kalli" was a slang used by Indian constables for "bribe."

Continuing his evidence, Yun Chi said that he then handed five cents to accused who, however, asked him to go and collect money from the other hawkwers. He did so and collected altogether 40 cents. When he handed this to accused, the latter remarked "only so much."

Witness denied having collected money for the accused before. This was his first and only occasion. He did not know accused and had never lent him any money.

In reply to the accused, Yun Chi denied that he had received $2 from him on that day and had given him back fifty cents. He had never lent any money to him.

The case was then adjourned.

TRADE MARK DISPUTE

The Wong Wing Sing firm, No. 6, Des Voeux Road West, was summoned before Mr. Hamilton, at Central Magistracy yesterday for having sold or had in their possession for sale in the Kowloon godown on or about August 12 boxes of matches, to which a forged trade mark, so nearly resembling the property of Jonkopings Och Vulcans Tanstickfsfabriksktiebolag had been applied as to be calculated to deceive. Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, of Messrs. Hastings & Company, appeared for the complainants the Swedish Chinese Export and Import Company.

A representative of the defendant firm denied the offence and hearing was fixed for Monday morning.

WOMAN ATTACKED WITH CHOPPERS

An allegation that the prisoner went to the house with the intention of robbing, was made by the Crown in a case in which Chan Yau appeared before His Honour the Chief Justice at the Criminal Sessions yesterday on a charge of wounding with intent, and alternatively of wounding only, a woman named Ng Hing on June 23 last.

Mr. J. A Fraser appeared for the Crown and in outlining the case against the accused said that the wounding occurred in the second floor of 363 Des Voeux Road West. The injured woman was a tenant of one of the cubicles in the house, and lived there with an amah. The accused was a brother of the amah.

It is alleged that on one of his visits to his sister, the accused learned that most of the tenants of the house would be going to a theatre. The accused had been employed in chopping fish tendons at his own house in 17 Yuk Ming Street, and it is alleged that when he went to the Des Voeux Road address with an accomplice, he brought two of these choppers with him.

While the accused engaged the woman in conversation, in the verandah, his accomplice came up from behind and struck her. The woman would state that she fainted and when she came to, she gave the alarm which brought, amongst others, a policeman on the scene.

From a statement made by the accused to the Police, the motive for the attack would appear to be the fact that the men went to the house to rob. While the accused held the woman in conversation, his accomplice was to be at work in the cubicle. Something, said Mr. Fraser, must have disturbed them, hence the attack.

The accused was arrested on board a ship bound for Canton.

After evidence had been given for the Crown in support of Mr. Fraser's opening, the hearing was adjourned.

AN INDECENT ADVERTISEMENT

For having published an indecent advertisement on July 31, Wong Yuk Ting, editor of "Tim Kwong Po," was fined $150 by Mr. Hamilton, at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, for the defence, admitted the summons, saying it was due to carelessness. Defendant would give an undertaking not to publish it again.

Inspector K. A. Andrew, prosecuting, said a warning was given a month ago by the S.C.A. He had been instructed to press the case, because the advertisement was particularly foul.

Yeung Shai Cheung, editor of the "Heung Kong Ng Po," and Luk Tse Kon, editor of the "Tai Chung Yat Po," were also fined $150 for similar offences.

NO ACCURATE STATEMENT

Before Mr. Hamilton at Central Magistracy yesterday, Messrs. Wallem & Company was summoned for failing to furnish a true and accurate statement of dutiable liquor imported on the s.s. Sagres.

A fine of $50 was imposed and J. Texeira, master of the Sagres, who was summoned as a co-defendant, was warned.

A representative of the Company said the liquor was reported as part of stores. They never furnished a statement for ship's stores.

Mr. J. Barrow, Assistant Superintendent of the Imports and Exports Department, said the vessel arrived in the Colony on May 14, and a new return was made on May 18. On June 25 the Company applied for transhipment order for two cases, eight barrels and ten demijohns of wine. The usual query was sent asking why they had not originally made an import statement, and a supplementary import statement covering the wine was accordingly sent by the Company. On July 6, however, the master sent in another application to export 91 cases of liquor, but this had not been mentioned in the second import statement supplied by the Company. The liquor was to be exported to Timor.

The Company's representative said the Sagres had been laid up in Hong Kong, and was not going to Timor. He admitted a technical offence.

Mr. Hamilton imposed the fine mentioned, and adjourned the case seven days in order that the liquor on the ship may be put into a warehouse.

RUBBISH NUISANCE

The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, as defendant's attorney in Hong Kong, appeared on behalf of Mrs. M. F. P. Laurenco, of Macao, who was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for not abating a rubbish nuisance at No. 38 Bulkeley Street, Hunghom.

Explaining that he was representing Mrs. Laurenco, Mr. Braga, pleaded guilty. He said No. 38 Bulkeley Street was one of 60 flats in two blocks of houses in Hunghom, and had been vacant since February 16, 1932.

The notices served by the Sanitary Board on Mr. Braga, as Mrs. Laurenco's attorney in Hong Kong, had not been received personally, but had been passed on to the rent collector as a matter of routine. The rent collector had either forgotten to heed the notice or had neglected to do so. It was the rent collector's fault.

Mr. Braga said he had never for a moment intended to disregard any notice of the Sanitary Board. As soon as he discovered the position, he had personally seen to it that everything was done to rectify it, and he had just been assured that the nuisance had been abated.

Sanitary Inspector A. R. J. Simpson said the nuisance concerned the dumping of rubbish. The ground floors of that district had the appearance of having been broken into at night, and rubbish was left lying about by coolies and street children.

His Worship said he realised Mr. Braga's difficulties, but he would have to impose a nominal fine of $5.

"The fine is really for your rent collector, but as you are responsible for the delinquencies of your employees, I am afraid you will have to pay," his Worship remarked with a smile.

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FORTHCOMING PIANO RECITAL

(To the Editor of "The Hong Kong Daily Press")

Sir, I have received a letter from a pianist, Harold Scott, who has been touring India for the past two years giving lecture-recitals in halls, clubs, schools and hotels and on the wireless. He arrives in Hong Kong on September 3rd and intends to give some concerts here.

Although I personally have not heard of this artist, his critiques taken from various London and provincial, Scottish and continental papers show that his performances are of a high order.

I considered that some arrangements should be made before Mr. Scott's arrival and have therefore reserved the Helena May Institute for a recital to be given by him on Friday, September 7th at 9.15 p.m. The cost of the tickets will probably be $2 and $1, plus tax. It is a long time since a distinguished artist visited the Colony and I hope that music lovers will book the date and endeavour to accord him full support.

Arrangements have also been made for him to play from ZBW on September 4th and he is to give a recital at the Peninsula Hotel on the 9th.

If there are any clubs or schools who would care to invite him to give one of his educational lecture-recitals, they could communicate with me. From all accounts, his recitals are of interest even to people who do not profess to be very musical. Having travelled so long in India, Harold Scott is under no delusions as to money-making possibilities in the Far East; his fee would be reasonable, in fact he would be content with a proportion of the receipts, whatever they are.

I am, etc.,
A. M. BOWES-SMITH

Hong Kong, August 21.

ECHOES OF 1861

56—The Police Of Hong Kong Canton And Macao.

We understand that great changes consequent on promotions are made in the police departments of Hong Hong, Macao and Canton. Several of the Sergeants in charge of the force of this Colony are to be made brevet Inspectors, for their extreme zeal and energy in arresting chair coolies whilst returning home after having taken people from the theatre. Monsieur De Barr's performances being over early, and before the police have turned in, yield a revenue of $5 per night to the Colony from fines in this manner. Deputy Assistant police constable Cassim, was found asleep close to the Central Police Station on the night of the 22nd with his musket alongside of him capped and cocked. A gentleman passing, took the musket and deposited it for safety with the Inspector in the Charge Room. D.A.-P.C. Cassim was warned that if it happened again he would be fined one shilling.

The acting superintendent has applied for more pay in consequence of having to sleep with one eye open since the tragedies of the Meelee and North Star. This increased vigilance on his part has averted burglaries for the past two nights. Relative to these tragedies the rumour is that the Government has offered to give Mrs. Mah-chow Wong her son's house back again, if she will give such information as may lead to apprehension of the prepetrators, she returned for answer, "that fashion pigion she no sabbee."

As for the Macao police our old friend Brigandino, the head of the force has been made a full Captain in the Portuguese army. We thought when we heard of it that the commission must be in the horse marines, but we are assured it is in the line. We believe this is meant partly as a compensation for losses sustained as gambling monopolist, and partly for keeping up a well regulated prison at his own expense.

At Canton the Superintendent of Police was a bona fide Captain in the Army. With the assistance of two of his force he captured nine deserters from the 99th Regiment after a most desparate resistance. The gallant Captain is reported to have been offered the Commandantship of the Garrison of this Colony, in consideration of this service.

PRETTY WEDDING

At Union Church

A pretty wedding was solemnised at the Union Church yesterday, the parties being Mr. Reginald Robert Davies and Miss Dorothy Maude Biggs, of Suncroft, Croft Avenue, Southwick.

The Rev. E. G. Powell officiated.

The bride who was given away by Mr. W. N. A. Smalley, looked very pretty in a dress of white figured georgette with a white straw hat to match. The hat was trimmed with edge sprays of flowers and with crinoline. She carried a bouquet of pink and yellow gladioli.

Miss Adelaide E. Blake was the bridesmaid and she wore a dress of lemon organdie with hat to match. She likewise carried a bouquet of pink and yellow gladioli.

Mr. W. E. Hunt was the best man and Mrs. W. N. A. Smalley was the Matron of Honour. After the Church ceremony, a reception was held at 506 The Peak, where the many friends of the bride and bridegroom attended to toast the health of the newly wedded couple.

TRADE WITH GERMANY SUSPENDED

Non-Payment Of Textile Debts To Britain

London, Aug. 21.

The German Yarn Tariffs Committee stated after a meeting at Manchester to-day that the position in regard to the outstanding debts problem with Germany remained unaltered.

It was generally agreed that it was impossible to resume business until satisfactory proposals for the liquidation of the outstanding debts had been received.

It was decided on August 10 last that firms would not make deliveries or enter into any further business pending a favourable outcome of the negotiations and it was stated to-day that the trade had unanimously observed this agreement.—*British Wireless.*

STEAMER FOUNDERS

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Coruna, August 22.

A steamer ran aground off Cape Villano in a dense fog and sank almost immediately afterwards. The master of the ill-fated vessel acted with great presence of mind, saving 45 people.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

AUSTRIA AND ITALY

Important Outcome of Conference

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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London, August 22.

According to a communique from Rome it is stated that the Mussolini-Schuschnigg conference is another indication of the mutual frontier protection between the two countries.

Of great political significance of the conversation is the announcement of the creation of an Austrian Mercantile fleet with Trieste as a base. The announcement is attracting the greatest interest here and it is taken for granted that the fleet will be entirely under Italian influence.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

DEPARTURE FOR GENOA

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Rome, August 22.

The situation following the Mussolini-Schuschnigg conference remains unchanged and the parties concerned left for Genoa on Wednesday on an Italian steamer. They will discuss social, political and economical questions and also cultural matters which form the link binding the two peoples together. One of the first steps agreed upon was the exchange visits of students.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

INTERNAL MATTERS

Florence, August 22.

The most important point taken up at the meeting between the Italian Premier, Signor Mussolini, and the Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Schuschnigg, according to an official communique, concerned the independence of Austria, a complete internal autonomy, and the determination of the respective Governments to maintain it.

The two statesmen agreed on the utility of developing collaboration in the economic field and also agreed that steps should be taken to strengthen cultural relations.

The communique suggests the eventual inclusion of Czechoslovakia in the Rome agreement.

Neither the restoration of the Hapsburgs to the throne nor a loan to Austria were discussed.

Dr. Schuschnigg left last night for Nice.—*Reuter.*

'REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA"

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Vienna, August 22.

The Austrian Government has informed the German Government that by a new decree just published, the designation, "Republic of Austria" has been replaced by that of the "Federal State of Austria."—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

Jury Unable To Decide

FRESH TRIAL NECESSARY IN MICHAEL PINE MURDER CASE

Lengthy Summing Up By Chief Justice

After deliberating among themselves for two and a half hours, the jury failed to arrive at a verdict in the case in which Ng Loi Yuen is charged with the murder of Michael Pine. The jury retired at 12.20 and at 1 o'clock the Chief Justice, His Honour Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, inquired from the jurors in open Court whether there was any likelihood of their coming to a verdict in the course of the next few minutes. The foreman replying in the negative, the Chief Justice directed that the Registrar should order some tiffin for the jurors, and adjourned the Court until 2.15 p.m.

The Jurors however, did not come into the Court again until 3.05 p.m., when the foreman announced that the jury found it impossible to agree upon a verdict.

His Lordship: Do you think if you are given further time for consideration the result will be the same?

The Foreman: Yes, my Lord.

His Lordship: You have now been two-and-a-half hours away and you see no way out?

The Foreman: I am afraid so.

His Lordship: I am sure that each of you appreciate how unfortunate such a position is, but as such a position has arisen and persists, I don't think there is anything more we can do.

Jury Exempted For Two Years

His Lordship then consulted the Assistant Attorney General with regard to the best course to be taken for the re-trial. He said that he was quite prepared to have the case taken next week, if necessary. It was two months since the occurrence and human memory was not always infallible and the sooner the trial could take place the better.

Mr. Fraser agreed with His Lordship.

His Lordship (To the Jurors): I thank you for your services. I shall have to discharge you. It can't be helped. In view of the lengthy trial, I have pleasure in exempting you from further jury service for a period of two years.

The Summing Up.

In the course of his Summing up the Chief Justice said:—

In Hong Kong we are all members of a very small society and a case such as this, with a considerable amount of dramatic and emotional interest, arouses an amount of tension and a degree of publicity which is from one point of view a little unfortunate but quite inevitable.

I have no doubt that there must have been many stories and rumours and it is likely that some of them have come to your ears. I want to ask you most earnestly to do your utmost to forget all that you have heard except what you have heard within the four corners of this court in the last two days. I want you to recall to your minds the terms of the oath which you have taken to return a verict in accordance with the evidence—nothing else matters. Stories and rumours have nothing to do with your responsible duties.

No Racial Confl t

Secondly, please put out of your minds entirely any feeling or idea that may have been aroused or instilled in your minds that there is a racial conflict in this case, or still more, by the fact that the person whom the accused is alleged to have killed, was a little boy. Emotionalism such as this, though it does credit to the heart of each one of us, has no place in a court of justice. Accused is entitled to a fair trial and a just verdict at your hands and there can be no question of retaining anything of that sort any more than in an ordinary case before the court.

Thirdly, remember what the learned Counsel for the accused very properly stressed yesterday. It is a cardinal principle of British justice that an accused person is innocent until he is found guilty.

It is for the Crown to satisfy you of his guilt and it is their bounden duty to put before you a case which taken as a whole, will lead each one of you as reasonable men to say: "I have no doubt of his guilt."

The Point At Issue

In this case we have a very curious set of circumstances in that there is alleged by the Crown an action involving five children and it is possible that some of you may be inclined to think: Look what he did to the other children. Accused does not stand before you on a charge of inflicting any injury on any child but Michael Pine. The evidence of the other children may be relevant and very cogent but what you have got to get in the forefront of your minds is the treatment he meted out to Michael Pine.

His Lordship then gave a resume of the evidence before the Court. Referring to the depositions of Mrs. Fairburn, he stated that from her evidence it was known that two children were thrown into the nullah. The evidence showed that two children were picked up. "But," he added, "It does not necessarily follow that these were the same two children because as we follow the nullah down stream near the third bridge we find there were many other people in the nullah who had been caught in the torrent and carried down by it."

Dealing with the rescue of the other children and of accused, His Lordship said there was evidence which identified the man who was swept down the nullah and the man who was taken out from just inside the tunnel, who was at present charged before the Court as one and the same person.

No Unfair Inference

His Lordship said it was a significant fact that when accused was being brought out of the nullah he struggled hard. At the hospital he was found to have a slight crack or fracture of a thigh bone and the leg was put into a plaster of Paris splint. On the day that two prisoners escaped from the detention ward of the Government Civil Hospital where prisoner was also confined, prisoner was found to have soaked off his splint with the idea of escaping.

The jury would not draw unfair inferences from that on the ground that it did not appear to be the action of an innocent man for it was also reasonable to think that if accused woke up to find himself detained under a serious charge and then hears that two other prisoners are planning an escape, he would try to get away himself and thus rid himself of the whole business.

Mary Pine

With conspicuous fairness, the Assistant Attorney General had said that with reference to the actual charge against accused, he did not place much reliance on the evidence of little Mary Pine. It was important, however, to follow her testimony when she described the children being thrown over and said it was done by a Chinese who was the accused.

Her evidence was corroborated to a remarkable extent when at an identification parade she pointed out the accused immediately and then acting on a child's instinct, ran to her mother, hid her face in her mother's dress and cried.

The story was a strange one. It would not have appeared possible for one person, no matter how diabolical his intentions, to throw five children one after the other into the nullah. It was a point of view worthy of consideration that the ordinary child seeing one or more of its companions seized in this way, would probably run away.

Roland And Oliver

None of the other children had been called to give evidence the Crown probably being influenced by the good reason that they were too young for them to give evidence sufficiently cogent and conclusive for the jury to act upon.

Mrs. Fairburn had said that the children were not playing in the nullah but were thrown in from the road. The defence had submitted the improbability of the accused throwing the children in one after the other as alleged and put forward the suggestion that they were actually down at the water's edge when they were swept away. Against this Roland from Mr. Lim, his Lordship had an Oliver. There was the improbability of the children being all swept away at the same time and the further coincidence that just at that moment accused jumped in from the bridge.

The hypothesis that there may have been another man had not been seriously advanced, and in view of the observation that was kept on the nullah banks from the moment of alarm, he would certainly have been seen. The theory that accused may have been attempting to rescue the children had also not been propounded.

The Letters

Accused was a man of strange ideas as the letters in the case showed, a man who, if these letters were to be believed, honestly thought it a glorious thing to kill a man and was determined to commit suicide. He was rankled at having been cheated in Swatow, being out of work and without money. The Crown had asked the jury to put these factors together and say "What more glorious consolation was his than to commit suicide in that nullah and take with him these children. That he thinks puts the Crown's proposition in a nutshell.

Counsel for the defence had said that they could not attach any great importance to these letters. Anyone may have put them in the bag. They may never have been in that parcel until five minutes before he was handed over to the Police. No one had been called to say accused has preached, practiced or discussed such dreadful views. Learned Counsel had mentioned that before with a great deal of force. Further, Counsel had asked whether it was conceivable that any man, no matter what purported to be his beliefs or how deep-rooted his intentions to commit suicide, could go to his death with children. "I can imagine" Mr. Lim had said "a man who really believed what these letters set forth taking with him an adult, but not children. Children are far too sacred."

Theory Of Intoxication

But there is another aspect of this case. I do not quite know how to put it. A good deal has been said about it and is a matter of considerable importance in the event of certain happenings. The defence is that it was an accident. If you accept that and say Michael Pine was probably playing about and was carried off his feet by the current, that is the end. Your proper verdict then is one of "Not Guilty." If you come to the conclusion when marshalling all the facts, and weighing all the evidence, that you cannot resist the conclusion that accused by an unlawful act caused the death of Michael Pine, then and then only, we come to this other aspect of the case. That is the theory or hypothesis of intoxication.

Let me remind you what this is based on. In a shop in Pedder Street the employees had a morning meal which was shared by the accused. We know that at that meal no wine was consumed. We are entitled then, I think, to assume that accused went out sometime that morning, after the meal without having up to that moment taken any intoxicants. We know nothing of his movements until late that afternoon.

Asked For Wine

We do know, however, that his capital could not exceed more than $2 at the moment. We next come across him in the nullah and the first we hear of intoxication is from the Ambulance boy who took accused over and travelled with him to the Government Civil Hospital. The Ambulance boy states that accused said to him "Yum Chow" which the ambulance boy understood to mean "I want more wine."

Dr. Valentine had said that accused was suffering from immersion, injuries, and drink. At the time of the incidents at the nullah he could only have been moderately under the influence judging from the urinal results. He would not have been say, drunk enough to walk in front of a tram car. The contents of the urine may have been emptied in the nullah. His Lordship pointed out and their examination might have shown a higher degree of intoxication. However, accused had not offered evidence to this and the onus of establishing a defence of intoxication was on him.

In law drunkenness was not a defence but in certain types of cases as this one, such a defence could reduce the offence.

Three Alternatives

An essential ingredient of a crime was intent—as it was here—and if accused was proved to the satisfaction of the jury to have been so much under the influence of alcohol as to have been incapable of forming that intent, the offence was reduced from the major offence to the minor; in this case from homicide to manslaughter.

The jury had three alternatives before them. They could return a verdict of "Not Guilty" because death was accidental or was not caused by accused; They could return a verdict of "Guilty" if they were satisfied that accused threw Michael Pine into the nullah and that somewhere in that nullah he had sustained the fractured skull which killed him, or "Guilty of Manslaughter" if they accepted the submission of intoxication which meant that they were satisfied that the accused was so drunk that he was not capable of forming the intention to kill the boy.

Hong Kong Trade Returns

DECREASE IN BOTH IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

Statistical Office Issues Monthly Report

The Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department reports that the total imports of merchandise into the Colony in the month of July, 1934, amounted to a declared value of $29.7 millions (£2.2 millions), as compared with $38.7 millions (£2.7 millions) in July of 1933: a decrease in terms of local currency of 23.3 per cent.

Exports of merchandise totalled $23.2 millions (£1.7 millions), as against $28.7 millions (£2.0 millions): a decrease of 19.1 per cent.

For the first seven months of 1934, Imports totalled $225.2 millions (£16.4 millions), as compared with $297.6 millions (£19.7 millions) in the corresponding period of 1933, a decrease of 24.3 per cent.; while Exports were valued at $180.3 millions (£13.2 millions), as compared with $240.3 millions (£15.9 millions) in the corresponding period of 1933, a decrease of 24.9 per cent.

The following table shows the comparative figures of imports and exports (including Treasure) during the months of July, 1934 and July, 1933:—

IMPORTS

	July, 1934	July, 1933
Merchandise	$29,705,534	$38,664,439
Treasure	7,519,389	2,131,304
Total	$37,224,923	$40,795,743

EXPORTS

	July, 1934	July, 1933
Merchandise	$23,240,797	$28,739,748
Treasure	8,326,694	13,483,730
Total	$31,567,491	$42,223,478

MONTHLY FLUCTUATIONS

Since July of 1933 total Imports of merchandise into Hong Kong fluctuated from the lowest dollar value (29.6 millions) in February, 1934, to the highest (43.5 millions) in September 1933; while Exports fluctuated from $22.2 millions in February, 1934, to $34.7 millions in September, 1933.

The figures are given below, with the sterling equivalents, at average rates of exchange, in brackets:

1933	Imports	Exports
July	$38,664,439 (£2,688,387)	$28,739,748 (£1,998,316)
August	$39,947 837 (£2,746,414)	$32,060,399 (£2,204,152)
Sept.	$43,506,242 (£3,036,373)	$34,672,091 (£2,419 923)
Oct.	$42,443,758 (£2,973,274)	$34,339,869 (£2,405,579)
Nov.	$40,561 833 (£2,852,004)	$33,731,571 (£2,371,751)
Dec.	$36,841,971 (£2,600,045)	$27,994,496 (£1,975 653)
1934		
January	$32,549,352 (£2,390,343)	$27,390,494 (£2,011,489)
Feb.	$29,591 425 (£2,211,651)	$22,223,746 (£1,660,994)
March	$33,638,848 (£2,522,914)	$27,867,023 (£2,090 026)
April	$32,127,612 (£2,342,638)	$26,541,120 (£1,935,290)
May	$32,799 925 (£2,289,161)	$27,022,079 (£1,885,916)
June	$34,634,795 (£2,485,608)	$26,063,095 (£1,859 710)
July	$29,705,534 (£2,181,500)	$23,240,797 (£1,706,746)

Mean rate of Exchange for July, 1934 H.K.$=1s. 5¼d.

VALUES BY COUNTRIES

The total values of Imports and Exports of merchandise are shown below by countries; the figures for July, 1933, being given in brackets:

	Imports $	Exports $
U. K.	2,152,729 (3,690,558)	379,874 (336,615)
Australia	479,346 (302,477)	198,371 (92,304)
Burma	18,861 (553,332)	140,924 (169,741)
Canada	151,089 (293,938)	83,589 (104,956)
Ceylon	8,447 (9,355)	48,302 (38,185)
E. Africa	33,508 (24,465)	19 375 (13,202)
India	245,628 (712,601)	333,209 (383,456)
Malaya (British)	525,007 (436,478)	2,147,812 (1,860,722)
N. Zealand	14,213 (7,526)	73,192 (36 299)
B. N. Borneo	130,078 (168,218)	77,908 (68,777)
S. Africa	1,779 (——)	121,468 (47,812)
W. Africa	—— (——)	10,692 (——)
W. Indies	—— (129)	178,870 (70,809)
B. E. Other	47,749 (97,720)	122 004 (82,557)
Belgium	432,355 (966,045)	72,968 (——)
China, North	4,751,518 (4,988,284)	2,931,109 (2 778,916)
China, Middle	673,144 (793,265)	1,593,127 (2,351,651)
China, South	5,018,015 (5,325,550)	5,938 222 (10,679,258)
Cuba	—— (341,250)	10,735 (37,583)
C. America	19,424 (——)	101,085 (82,479)
Denmark	2 446 (8,100)	74 (1,110)
Egypt	1,940 (7,624)	4,519 (11,972)
France	121,503 (264,485)	120,786 (252,117)
Indo-China	2,477,235 (4,291,814)	2,013 137 (1,516,427)
Germany	1,088,249 (1,273,939)	316,581 (24,946)
Holland	309 534 (316,918)	67,070 (78,276)

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THE TEXAS COMPANY (CHINA) LIMITED.
By: J. C. WILLIAMS,
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Hong Kong, August 11th, 1934.
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Monday, 18th February		Annual
Tuesday, 19th February		Race
Wednesday, 20th February		Meeting
Saturday, 23rd February		
Saturday, 2nd March		1st Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 23rd March		2nd Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 6th April		3rd Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 20th April		4th Extra
Monday, 22nd April (Easter Monday)		Race Meeting
Saturday, 4th May		5th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 18th May		6th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday 1st June		7th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 21st October		8th Extra Race Meeting
Thursday, 10th October (Double Tenth)		9th Extra
Saturday, 12th October		Race Meeting
Saturday, 19th October		10th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 2nd November		11th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 16th November		12th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 30th November		13th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 14th December		14th Extra Race Meeting

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Hong Kong, 31st July, 1934.
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The Daily Press.

Hong Kong, August 23, 1934.

LOCARNO IN THE EAST

Just recently Europe has become quite enthusiastic about peace, revived hope in this direction being pinned on the new device, an Eastern Locarno. It must not be taken, however, that this is a duplicate of the pacts signed in 1925 at that Italian town from which it takes its name, but it is somewhat of the same nature in that it proposes third-party guarantees against an aggressor. One may go further and say that the scheme is not even a pact. It requires the vital adhesion of Germany and Poland and it can be readily seen that there are real obstacles to their agreement. However, the outlook is not gloomy even if it may not be described as bright. So many hurdles have already been topped; Russia has been brought "back to Europe" as a potential guarantor of peace and a member of the League of Nations; France and Russia are widening their alliance with an invitation to the Baltic states, Germany and Poland to join in a pact of mutual assistance. Then with Britain and Italy promising their blessing there is hope of completing a definite pact before the League Assembly meets next month. The statesmen—and the peoples—so often disillusioned, are cautious about indulging this hope. But even the possibility of an Eastern Locarno offers a prospect so much brighter than that they have faced for several months that talk of disarmament itself has been revived. The fact is that the nations still unwilling to go to war deliberately to enforce peace through the League are also unwilling to face the alternative of being dragged into war through a revived balance of power. The prospect of a new Franco-Russian alliance against Germany recalled that futile attempt to keep the balance between Triple Alliance and Triple Entente, which ended at Sarajevo. Germany was increasing her purchases of planes, and Britain suddenly discovered she couldn't be as neutral as she had been hoping to be.

If Great Britain's first line of defence was the Belgian border in 1914 in this day of aerial warfare she could not continue to act on the assumption that the Channel was an impregnable line. British statesmen found new sense in French demands for security. General Weygand and M. Barthou seized the moment for visits to London. And when they returned to Paris, France echoed with rumours of an "understanding" approaching that other indefinite "entente" which took British troops into Flanders fields just twenty years ago. Surveying the whole scene 1934 began to look altogether too like 1914. Europe saw a spectre. New devices were demanded.

It was out of this desperation that the project for an Eastern Locarno emerged. It promises to transform a Franco-Russian alliance into a whole system of mutual-assistance pledges, and as Sir John Simon pointed out in the House of Commons, on the face of it, it certainly offers more hope of peace than an alliance which Germany could only look upon as an instrument for keeping her in subjection. Under the pact, Germany has the right to call on any of the signatories, even her supposed enemy, France, for aid against an aggressor. The same is the case with the other countries, and these are only the boldest of the potential relations set up by the proposal which includes a whole chain of mutual obligations.

Advocates of the plan state that in the present state of Europe the obligations set forth in such a pact which are simpler and far more definite in their limits than the League Covenant, are more likely to bear fruit. Certainly one would hesitate to blast any hope which is more than a mere sleeping powder and it is plain that an Eastern Locarno is to be preferred to exclusive and fear-breeding alliances. But the nations should recognize that this device will merely stabilize differences; it will not remove them. It may be a better instrument for maintaining a negative balance than the old arraying of alliance against alliance, but it falls far short of achieving the positive stability of real peace based on friendship.

CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY

Tokyo's Sharply Worded Statement To Moscow

REQUEST FOR A DECLARATION

Involving Japan In A "Crisis"

The Japanese Consul in Hong Kong has forwarded to us the full text of an official statement issued by the Foreign Office in Tokyo detailing negotiations with the Soviet Government on the question of the Chinese Eastern Railway. The statement, which is given below, asks the Soviet Government to make a proper demonstration of its intention to sell the Railway.

Tokyo, Aug. 22.

In a sharply-worded official statement the Foreign Office last night asked the Soviet Government to "make a proper demonstration" of its intention to sell the North Manchuria railway to the so-called Manchukuo. The statement describes how at the outset of negotiations on June 26, 1933, the Soviet representatives proposed 250,000,000 gold rubles as the price for the Railway. This converted into Japanese currency at the "so-called" official exchange rate of the Soviet Government totalled approximately 625,000,000 yen. The Soviet delegate also insisted upon payment by the so-called Manchukuo of entire discharge allowances to the Soviet employes of the Railway.

The so-called Manchukuo representative presented a counter-proposal setting the price at 50,000,000 yen in consideration of the actual progress of railway construction in the so-called Manchukuo and also with an eye to the fact that the North Manchuria Railway was under the joint management of both the so-called Manchukuo and the Soviet Union. Later the Soviet delegation offered to reduce the initial figure by 50,000,000 gold rubles. Obstructed by abstract arguments, the statement says that negotiations dragged on until October when they were brought to a standstill because of Soviet propaganda efforts alleging that Japan and the so-called Manchukuo were conspiring to seize the Line by force.

Negotiations were reopened in February this year when one Soviet representative submitted to Mr. Hirota a new figure of 200,000,000 yen in paper currency as the price for the Line and also asked for an additional sum of about 30,000,000 yen for discharge allowances. The table of assets and liabilities as of January 1 this year was also transmitted to Mr. Hirota. On April 26 the so-called Manchoukuo proposed to raise the purchase price from 50,000,000 yen to 100,000,000 yen on condition that the so-called Manchoukuo was to succeed to all credits of the Railway as well as assuming all liabilities as shown in the above mentioned table of assets and liabilities, while the Soviet Union was to pay for discharge allowances to Soviet employees since it was only proper that she should do so as sellers of the Railway.

The Soviet representative only replied as late as May 25 that the Soviet Union was willing to reduce its price by 10,000,000 yen. At this juncture Mr. Hirota presented a tentative plan providing that negotiations be concluded on the basis that the price was to be 100,000,000 yen and that discharge allowances be defrayed by the so-called Manchoukuo. Over and against the foregoing plan the Soviet representative offered to further reduce the price by 20,000,000 yen that is to 170,000,000 yen, which still left a wide gap between the figures quoted by the so-called Manchoukuo and the Soviet Governments, rendering it hopeless to carry on negotiations to a successful conclusion.

Mr. Hirota on July 23 proposed that the price be set at 120,000,000 yen and that the so-called Manchoukuo should shoulder the obligations for discharge allowances to Soviet employes. On July 3 the Soviets, rejecting the above mediation plan of Mr. Hirota, submitted a counterplan in which the price was reduced merely by another 10,000,000 yen to 160,000,000 yen with discharge allowances to Soviet employes still to be paid by the so-called Manchoukuo. This Soviet proposal also contained new conditions of transfer including the so-called "gold clause" governing cash payment and the terms in connection with the means of payment in goods, the said value of goods to be fixed upon conclusion of transfer negotiations.

Mr. Hirota sought to persuade the Soviets to reconsider his plan, but this was once more rejected by the U.S.S.R. on August 10 whereupon Mr. Hirota advised both the so-called Manchoukuo and the Soviet representatives to try to settle the affair by direct negotiations between themselves. On August 13, Mr. Ohashi, the so-called Manchoukuo delegate, called on the Soviet Ambassador who stated that unless a proposal for a higher price was forthcoming from the so-called Manchoukuo the Soviets had no intention to enter upon direct negotiations.

Mr. Ohashi pleaded for further and more careful consideration and informed the Ambassador that under the circumstances his stay in Tokyo was useless and that he would leave though his departure was not by any means to be taken as an intimation of the so-called Manchoukuo's intention to break up negotiations. Mr. Ohashi accordingly left Tokyo, but Mr. Ting, chief delegate, is still staying here.

"The Soviet Government has of late come to regard the proposal of our Foreign Minister s something like an ultimatum and it has furthermore disseminated propaganda alleging existence of a certain relationship between the arrests made in connection with damages frequently caused to trains on eastern section of North Manchuria Railway and negotiations for transfer of the Railway. That the Japanese Foreign Minister is only a mediator and as such he is not in a position to present an ultimatum has been specially explained by him to the Soviet delegate."

The arrests made in connection with damages caused to trains are purely and simply judicial cases concerning conspiracies to wreck military trains which have occurred frequently since early spring of this year and have no relation with negotiations for transfer of the North Manchuria Railway, the statement said. "Furthermore although the Soviets maintain they have made great concessions in prices offered by the Soviet in the early stages of the negotiations, namely 250,000,000 gold rubles (625,000,000 yen) when compared with later figures named since February of this year ranging from 200,000,000 yen to 160,000,000 yen constitute nothing but a concession that initial prices had been based on gross exaggeration."

Various observations had been made as to the real intentions of the Soviet Government with regard to its proposal to transfer the North Manchuria Railway, the statement says. It has been alleged that the U.S.S.R. is trying to delay parleys in the hope of seeing Japan involved in an international "crisis" which the Soviet presumes to be imminent. "Therefore even if the price of the Railway was agreed upon, negotiations could be made to drag on indefinitely until at least the coming winter should the Soviets choose to delay discussion on other points of transfer conditions." If such indeed were the real intention of the U.S.S.R., "the situation would then be really very grave," the statement declares.

"In spite of the fact that such observations have been current, the Japanese Government has relied upon the faith of the Soviet in its action of making propositions to improve the peace of the Far East and succeeded at last in promotion to the above stage by dint of its earnest endeavours to bring closer together the views of interested parties amid troublous circumstances. Whether or not the present negotiations will come to grief as is predicted by some observers can only be seen by future developments."

"The parley, however, will never succeed if it is to be subjected to delays and postponements under pretext of disputes arising on the spot from time to time If the Soviet Government really intends to transfer the Railway and desires to do so as soon as is possible it certainly should make a proper demonstration of such an intention."

Mr. Hirota, Japanese Foreign Minister, who has been mediator in the negotiations

MORE C. E. R. ARRESTS

Mutual Fears Of Attack

Harbin, Aug. 22.

Seventeen Soviet employees of the C.E.R. General Manager's office have been arrested.

Observers summarise the situation as most threatening as anything is possible if the countries launch intimidatory demonstrations, manoeuvres on frontier zones or move large troops, as the countries are mutually afraid of surprise attacks and air raids without warning.—*Reuter.*

INTERNATIONAL TIN POOLS

America Perturbed

Washington, August 21.

The United States is the consumer of over fifty per cent. of the world's tin supplies and yet the industry is dominated by an international agreement excluding the United States, by which foreign producers have doubled the price in the last two years, was testimony given to-day by officials of the State Department at the preliminary investigation into the problem of tin supplies.

The investigation is being undertaken by the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives as ordered by the House of June 15.

Mr. Roy Veatch, of the State Department, testified that in the event of war, the United States, where no tin is produced, would have less than two months' supply of virgin tin.

The chairman of the Committee, Mr. McReynolds, said that the United States is seeking to develop the tin industry in the United States and Alaska and is also seeking to discover suitable substitutes.—*Reuter.*

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

Washington, August 22.

President Roosevelt has appointed Dr. J. J. Thomas, member of the Federal Reserve Board, to the vice-Governorship of the Board.

White House announces that consideration has not yet been given to the question of a successor to Mr. Eugene Black who last week resigned the Governorship of the Board.—*Reuter.*

NEWS AND COMMENTS FROM THE NORTH

Overseas Chinese And Investments In China

SAFEGUARDS NEEDED AGAINST EXPLOITATION

As a result of a recent visit to Kweichow to investigate possibilities of local industrial development, the Chinese Overseas Inspection Commission discovered rich petroleum deposits in the Chungshan district. It is believed that the full development of these wells would yield sufficient oil to supply the South-Western markets, which now consume a large quantity of imported petroleum. As soon as the bandit menace is removed, a number of Overseas Chinese have decided to invest in the development of the petroleum industry and other promising industrial enterprises in Kweichow, and the Provincial authorities are doing everything possible to facilitate Overseas Chinese investments in this area.

PATRIOTIC SACRIFICES BY CHINESE ABROAD

Despite their long residence in foreign countries, and the processes of assimilation which sometimes tend to a lack of knowledge even of their own language and of what is going on in China, Overseas Chinese are usually more intensely and actively patriotic than their brothers at home. Dr. Sun Yat Sen once said that Overseas Chinese were the parents of the Revolution, which is true to the extent that Overseas Chinese have done much in many ways to support the Revolution. They have watched the progress being made in the countries where they reside, and they want to see China develop in a similar manner. Many of them have also long been victims of undue oppression and maltreatment, which is another reason why Overseas Chinese are so intensely patriotic. They hope that China some day will be one of the World Powers strong enough to protect their lives and property, but the Shun Pao is of opinion that China has failed to live up to expectations and in many cases has bitterly disappointed her sons overseas.

DISHONEST PROMOTERS

The Shanghai journal declares that all Overseas Chinese have received in return for what they have done is merely spiritual consolation. Millions of dollars have been generously contributed to the development of their homeland, and now the Government is launching a project calling upon Overseas Chinese to invest more in China. Through the encouragement given by Mr. Chen Kung Po, Minister of Industry, during his recent tour in Malaya, Java, and other places, the Chinese resident there have been interested in the idea of making investments in China, specially as there is a prospect of obtaining more profitable returns. In this connection, however, the "Shun Pao" considers it necessary to point out that the Overseas Chinese have been already persuaded on many occasions to make investments in China and got nothing in return. Many Chinese have gone abroad to solicit financial support on the pretext that they were about to start some enterprise, but when they got the money quietly disappeared and were never seen or heard of again. The Chinese in Sydney recently organized an Inspection Commission to investigate trade possibilities in China, but when the Commission reached Kiangsi they were robbed. Mr. Tseng Shang-yaun, a wealthy Chinese resident of Rangoon, recently returned to China with the intention of investing his money in this country, but when he arrived at Amoy he was kidnapped by bandits. With such discouraging incidents on record, the Shanghai journal urges that the Government should do more than simply encourage Overseas Chinese to invest their money in China, and first take steps to restore lost confidence and assure prospective investors of full protection.

NATIONAL ECONOMIC SURVEY NEEDED

Another difficulty which the "Shun Pao" insists must be solved is the question as to where money from overseas can be most suitably invested. The big cities are already swamped with surplus capital which remains idle, but the state of practical bankruptcy and other unfavourable conditions in villages and small towns do not hold out any prospect of good result from investment in the interior. The Government therefore should take the lead in investigating economic and other conditions throughout the country, in order to be able to make definite plans for development and to give helpful advice to prospective investors. If the Government can give earnest attention to this problem, there is no doubt that Overseas Chinese would greatly appreciate such assistence, and promptly respond to the suggestions being made that Chinese capital now held overseas should be made use of in developing China's own economic resources and possibilities.

DOUGLAS AND MARY MEET

Possibility Of Reconciliation

Hollywood, Aug. 22.

The news that Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks met in secret shortly after the arrival of Fairbanks here has aroused much conjecture among the intimate friends of the famous couple, who believe that there is a good possibility of reconciliation.

Hopes were aroused to fever pitch when the pair motored together for two hours yesterday afternoon. Both seemed most happy, joking, and laughing.

Mary admitted she saw Douglas, and added, "whether I see him again is in the lap of the gods."—*Reuter.*

MARTIAL LAW LIFTED IN VIENNA

Vienna, August 22.

Martial law in the Vienna district, which has been in force since the attempted Nazi revolt last month, was lifted at midnight.—*Reuter.*

NEWS SUMMARY

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Miss Choy Oi Chee, having now passed the full examination, has had conferred upon her by the Trinity College of Music, the Professional Diploma of Associate of the College (A.T.C.L.) Page 10

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The wedding took place yesterday at the Union Church between Mr. R. R. Davies and Miss D. M. Biggs. Page 6

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The tentative programme as suggested by the European Y.M.C.A. for their swimming contest against the Chinese Y.M.C.A. early next month, together with the probable Y.M.C.A. representatives, appears on Page 10

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The trade returns for the month of July, issued by the Statistics Office, show a decline both in the import and export businesses as compared with July 1933. Page 7

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The South Wales Borderers won the Inter-Unit Water Polo championship yesterday when they defeated the Royal Artillery by 6 goals to 2 in an exciting game. Page 10

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Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith writes to say that Mr. Harold Scott, the well-known pianist will be visiting Hongkong shortly and that arrangements have been made for him to give a recital at the Helena May Institute. Page 6.

"ASHES" AS BIRTHDAY PRESENT FOR WOODFULL

AUSTRALIA WINS THE RUBBER

ENGLAND COLLAPSES IN FOURTH INNINGS

Grimmett Again Causes A Collapse

England were all out in the second innings of the final Test for 145 runs, leaving Australia winners by the huge total of 562 runs. The Australians have, therefore, regained the historic "Ashes" and there could not have been a more appropriate gift for the Australian captain, W. M. Woodfull, who celebrated his 37th. birthday on the same day.

After England were dismissed for 321 runs in their first innings, it was generally expected that Australia would win the game but no one would have thought that England would collapse in the sensational way she did.

When they resumed their second innings, Australia were dismissed for 327 runs and a feature of this was the bowling of Clark (5 for 98) and Bowes (5 for 55), the latter being given a great ovation for his effort which was all the more creditible when it is remembered that he was operated on the day before. Bowes was suffering from a fistula which forced his retirement in the third day.

When England batted again they found Grimmett in irresistible form and were all out for 145, Grimmett taking 5 wickets for 64 runs. The crowd then rushed the pavilion while the players were fighting for souvenirs amongst themselves. Woodfull and his team appeared in the pavilion verandah in answer to repeated calls and they waved their caps joyfully when they were cheered to theecho.

Crowd Cheers Winning Team

The Oval, Aug. 22.

As an anti-climax there were only 8,000 spectators present when Australia resumed her innings on the fourth day of the final Test. Ames was not present when England went out to field but Bowes who was feeling better decided to bowl. The start was sensational. Verity was given the ball to start and in the next over Bowes' second ball was a well-deceived one, being medium paced instead of fast, and bowled Bradman, leg-stump, after he had added but one to his overnight total. He played what was described as a charming innings which lasted two hours and which included 1 six and 7 fours. Woodfull filled the breach and the two hundred was signalled after 145 minutes when Clark came on with the new ball, bowling with the orthordox field for a fast bowler.

McCabe And Woodfull Out

The English bowlers were doing splendidly at this stage and allowed no liberties to be taken with them. With the total at 213, McCabe mishit one from Clark and gave a difficult catch to Walters at coverpoint but the fielder made no mistake though the ball was spinning a lot. Curiously enough McCabe's innings also lasted two hours and while he did not hit any sixes, he got the ball away to the ropes on no less than nine occasions.

Bowes met with further success when the total stood at 224. Woodfull, who was celebrating his thirty-seventh birthday had reached the unlucky 13 and true to tradition Dame Fortune deserted him at this point and he was bowled by Bowes who hit the leg-stump with a beauty which pitched on the blind-spot.

More Disaster

Not contented with the success that came their way, England's bowlers rose to greater heights and went on taking wickets with monotonous regularity—so far as the Australians were concerned. Kippax who had taken Woodfull's place was caught by Walters at deep-square leg off Clark for 8, the total being 236 for 6 while Oldfield, who had joined Chipperfield, was caught by Hammond in the slips without any addition to the score. Bowes was only bowling medium-pace but he was keeping an immaculate length and his analysis up to this stage was

O.	M.	R.	W.
5	2	12	3

Grimmett joined Chipperfield and with the score at 356 the former was taken at the wicket by Woolley. He had made 16 runs. Ebeling joined Grimmet who was indulging in some weird shots off the bumpers until he was caught, shoulder high, by Hammond in the slips off Bowes—272—9—14.

Then followed some bright cricket, O'Reilly joined Ebeling and the last wicket pair was most confident, scoring freely and frequently finding the ropes with straight drives. Lunch was taken with the total at 307 for 9.

The end came shortly after the resumption. Twenty runs had been added to the total when Ebeling, in attempting a hit of Bowes, failed to connect properly and gave a catch to Allen in the slips. He had scored 41 while O'Reilly was not out for 15. Mr. Extras contributed the generous score of a half-century!

BOWES AND CLARK

A report of Australia's second innings would not be complete if mention were not made of the sensational bowling of Clark and Bowes. The former took 5 wickets for 98 runs but the latter's feat of taking 5 for 55 was much more creditable when it is taken into consideration that he was only operated upon in the morning for a fistula.

SENSATIONAL START

Just as was the case when the day's play opened with Australia losing her wickets in rapid succession, England's second innings started just as sensationally. Ebeling and McCabe started the bowling and after they had each sent down a maiden Walters was bowled (off-stump) by McCabe for 1 run, the score board reading 1—1—1. Then Woolley joined Sutcliffe but alas! he was soon retracing his steps to the pavilion for he was caught by Ponsford, off McCabe, at mid-on for a "duck." Two wickets down for three runs, and England had to score 708 runs for a win! The Australians were, naturally jubilant and were on tip-toes. Play then proceeded in a "depressed atmosphere."

Hammond joined Sutcliffe and then England's stocks went up considerably, both the batsmen indulging in some sparkling batting and they both punished O'Reilly severely, Hammond putting this bowler over the pavilion for a six. The fifty was signalled after an hour's play. Then again Australia's bowlers met with success, Sutcliffe (28) putting up a catch to McCabe, at second-slip, off Grimmett—67—3—28.

After Sutcliffe left, the other Yorkshire batsman, Leyland, took his place and the newcomer started very confidently, scoring nine runs off Grimmett in an over. *These two continued to make runs* at a steady rate and the tea interval arrived, they had brought the total to 85 for 3, Hammond and Leyland being 43 and 10 (both not out) respectively.

The rest of the team then collapsed dismally.

The scores were:

AUSTRALIA, 2ND INNINGS

W. H. Ponsford, c Hammond, b Clark	22
W. A. Brown, c Allen, b Clark	1
D. G. Bradman, b Bowes	77
S. J. McCabe, c Walters, b Clark	70
W. M. Woodfull, b Bowes	13
A. Kippax, c Walters, b Clark	8
A. Chipperfield, c Woolley, b Clark	16
W. A. Oldfield, c Hammond, b Bowes	0
C. V. Grimmett, c Hammond, b Bowes	14
H. I. Ebeling, c Allen, b Bowes	41
W. J. O'Reilly, not out	15
Extras	50
Total	327

Fall of Wickets: 1/13; 2/142; 3/192; 4/213; 5/224; 6/236; 7/236; 8/258; 9/272; 10/327.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Allen	16	2	63	—
Clark	20	1	98	5
Hammond	7	1	18	—
Verity	14	3	43	—
Bowes	11.3	3	55	5

ENGLAND, 2ND INNINGS

H. W. Sutcliffe, c McCabe, b Grimmett	28
C. F. Walters, b McCabe	1
F. E. Woolley, c Ponsford, b McCabe	0
W. R. Hammond, c and b O'Reilly	43
M. Leyland, c Brown, b Grimmett	17
R. E. S. Wyatt, c Ponsford, b Grimmett	22
G. O. Allen, st Oldfield, b Grimmett	1
H. Verity, c McCabe, b Grimmett	26
W. E. Bowes, c Bradman, b O'Reilly	2
E. W. Clark, not out	2
Extras	3
Total	145

L. Ames, did not bat.

Fall of wickets: 1/1; 2/3; 3/67; 4/89; 5/109; 6/122; 7/138; 8/141; 9/145.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ebeling	10	5	15	—
McCabe	5	3	5	2
Grimmett	26.3	10	64	5
O'Reilly	22	9	58	2

THE TEST MATCH

Woodfull's Birthday

London, Aug. 22.

Interest in the Test match has almost vanished. Gone were the all-night and early morning queues; gone were the entertainers and street vendors and at 9.30 a.m. there were only a few hundred people who lined up in a queue as compared with the thousands of yesterday.

There was some early morning rain but it has cleared up again and with the sun shining there are good prospects for a fine day. No decisions will be made regarding Bowes and Ames until just before the start.

The Australian captain, W. M. Woodfull, celebrates the thirty-seventh anniversary of his birthday to-day.—*Reuter.*

Yorkshire Beaten

London, Aug. 21.

Lancashire, County cricket leaders, secured first innings points from Kent, Leicester gained a similar decision over Hampshir, Yorkshire, last year's champions, surrendered full points to Essex, and Gloucester also secured an outright win over Surrey among the matches concluded to-day.

Outstanding batting feats were:—B. H. Lyon (Gloucester) 189, Bakewell (Northants) 172, Arnold (Hants) 160, Croom (Warwick) 149 not out and Watson (Lancs) 145.

The following were the score details:—

Lancashire secured first innings points from Kent: Lancashire: 352 (Watson 145, C. S. Marriott 5 for 83) and 231 for 4 dec.; Kent: ter: 384 and 197 (Boyes 7 for 88); 252 (Phillipson 8 for 100), and 105 for 3.

Leicester secured first innings points from Hampshire: Leicester-Hampshire: 319 (Arnold 160), and 54 for 2.

Essex defeated Yorkshire by an innings and 46 runs: Yorkshire: 283 and 112 (K. Farnes 7 for 59); Essex: 441 for 8 dec. (D. R. Wilcox 109).

Gloucester beat Surrey by 279 runs: Gloucester: 305 and 353 for 6 dec. (B. H. Lyon 189); Surrey: 261 and 118 (Charles Parker 5 for 36).

Warwick beat Middlesex by 167 runs: Gloucester: 305 and 353 for 6 dec. (Croom 149 not out); Middlesex: 332 (Lee 119) and 77 (Paine 6 for 24).

Sussex secured first innings points from Somerset: Somerset: 341 and 258 for 1 (Jack Lee 100 not out); Sussex: 361.

Derbyshire beat Notts by 201 runs: Derby: 220 and 211 (Voce 6 for 52); Notts: 120 (A. Pope 6 for 21) and 100 (Copson 5 for 40).

Northants secured first innings points from Glamorgan: Northants: 405 (Bakwell 172, Bellamy 110 not out) and 156 for 7 (J. C. Clay 6 for 40); Glamorgan: 324.—*Reuter.*

UNITED STATES RECOVERY

Divided Opinion

London, August 22.

Financial circles are sharply divided regarding the prospects of recovery in the United States. The leading American banker, A. H. Giannini, chairman of the Executive Bank of America, who is now in London, interviewed by *Reuter*, stated he was convinced that President Roosevelt would adhere to orthodox monetary principles, and expressed the opinion that the President would not be in favour at present of using his powers for lowering the gold content of the dollar.

He added that the "New Deal" already had many beneficial effects and he expects a revival in the Stock Market once the implications of the Stock Exchange on kindred legislation is understood and any necessary amendments are effected.

Major Angas' book predicting a boom has caused a considerable impression and added weight to the opinion that United States recovery is round the corner.

CONTRARY VIEWS

Prospects of American recovery are to the contrary in the monthly review of Robert Benson's, merchant bankers with close American connections, which states with confidence that the financial community has been further disturbed by renewed fears of inflation arising from nationalisation of silver. Sentiment has been alarmed by the realisation of the magnitude of the drought calamity and the necessity for large additional government relief expenditure.

It opines that public works expenditure appears to have been on too small a scale or too dilatory in execution to provide sufficient impetus to the economic machine and concludes with the view that in the prevailing confusion it is difficult to believe trade and industry are able to show a pronounced improvement on their own accord.—*Reuter.*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London, August 22.

London silver prices to-day were 1/16 down, as follow:—

	Aug. 22	Aug. 23
Spot	21.5/8	21.9/16
Forward	21.9/16	21.1/2

London on New York cross rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 5.09-1/8 compared with 5.08-3/4 at closing yesterday.

BRITAIN'S FINANCES

Increased Revenue Receipts

London, Aug. 21.

The Exchequer return of receipts and expenditure during the current financial year up to August 18, shows that excluding self-balancing items, the total ordinary revenue receipts for last week amounted to £12,907,885 and the total ordinary expenditure to £8,527,784.

Income tax collected during the week amounted to £2,661,000 and customs and excise represented £9,403,000.

The total yield of ordinary revenue for the financial year to date is £218 005,371, as compared with £222,320,767 collected in the corresponding period of the previous year. Ordinary expenditure to date is £264,547,334 as compared with £260,974,995.—

SABOTAGE ACTS IN IRELAND

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

Dublin, Aug. 22.

Numerous acts of sabotage are again being committed by anti-government demonstrators. About twenty telegraph poles and many trees have been felled and roads blocked. Trains in North Kerry were delayed on account of signal wires being cut. It is believed that the outrages have been committed in protest of the sale of sequestered cattle.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

DISCUSSION IN ITALY

French Opinion

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press").

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Paris, Aug. 22.

A communique published from Florence concerning the conversations between Mussolini and Schuschnigg is regarded in French informed quarters as proof that the two states are more concerned with developing the already existing good relations between Italy and Austria than with considering any other question.

While political circles here consider it evident that Il Duce and the Chancellor are endeavouring to clarify the position as between Italy and Austria in the event of renewed Austro-German tension, French press reports indicate that a military pact is envisaged but is believed to be improbable. It is pointed out that conclusion of a military pact between Vienna and Rome would affect several other European powers.

The newspaper "Excelsior" stresses that Austria is a second Albania and that it is difficult to perceive what kind of "protective mandate" for the preservation of Austria's independence could be entrusted to Italy. The paper adds that the Austrian question will doubtless form the subject of conversations between Barthou and Mussolini when the French Foreign Minister travels to Rome in the Autumn.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

Paris, Aug. 22.

In connection with the Schuschnigg journey to Nice, the French press raises the question as to whether or not he will meet there a member of the French cabinet in order to report to him concerning the Florence conversations.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

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MAROONED IN GREENLAND

Grierson's Message For Help

Reyjavik, August 22.

The British airman Grierson, who is attempting a flight from Britain to Canada by the northern route, has been marooned in a desolate spot in Greenland.

An S. O. S. message which has been picked up says that he has landed in an ice-free fjord three miles from the coast.

The message adds that he has sufficient food to last him ten days and concludes "please search."—*Reuter.*

BANKING REFORM IN BELGIUM

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press").

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Brussels, Aug. 22.

The Cabinet Committee appointed to draw up a plan for banking reform, having reached an agreement on the subject, the plan will be formally approved on Wednesday by the Cabinet Council and will probably receive royal sanction immediately afterwards. The reform provides, amongst other things for considerable reduction of interest on public as well as private loans and grants extensive credits to landlords for carrying out repairs.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SECOND SHIP FOR CHINA

London, Aug. 22.

The s.s. Haiheng, which is the second of the four vessels being built in Britain for China, will be launched to-morrow on the Clyde. Mr. Quo Tai Chi, of the Chinese Legation, accompanied by Madame Quo Tai Chi have gone to Glasgow to preside at the ceremony.—*Reuter.*

DR. ALFRED SZE

London, Aug. 22.

Dr. Alfred Sze and family returned to Washington to-day.—*Reuter.*

BRITAIN AND JAPAN

Alleged Secret Treaty

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, August 22, 4.30 p.m.)

London, August 22.

The "Daily Mail" is the only paper this morning to make any reference to the alleged conclusion of an Anglo-Japanese secret treaty. The paper stresses that news to that effect had even attracted attention in diplomatic circles in London, notwithstanding denials from both Tokyo and Downing Street. The effects of such a treaty cannot be easily perceived.

The rest of the morning papers remain taciturn, thus suggesting that the news from Tokyo is of far greater importance than admitted.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

The announcement by the "Daily Mail" has not been confirmed elsewhere.

NEW CHEKIANG BONDS

Nanking, Aug. 22.

The Central Provincial Council has authorised the Chekiang Provincial Governments to issue $20,000,000 worth of provisional bonds.

Mr. Tsen Yang Pu, of the Chekiang Reconstruction Commission said that half will be employed for relief in drought stricken areas, employment of refugees, public works and purchase of foreign rice to ease the acute food situation.—*Reuter.*

PERRY BEATEN IN DOUBLES

American National Championships

Germantown, P.A., Aug. 21.

In the Second round of the American National Lawn Tennis championships, George Lott and Lester Stoeffeur paired in the Doubles to win without conceding a game in the three sets.

Fred Perry, who was partnered by Wilde, however, failed against their American opponents.

The following were the results:

Allison and Van Ryn (U.S.) beat J. Tidball and Hall (U.S.) 6-1, 6-2, 8-10, 8-6.

Shields and Wood (U.S.) beat Bruneau and Reese (U.S.) 6-2, 6-2, 6-8, 6-3.

G. Mako and D. Budge (U.S.) beat F. Perry and F. H. D. Wilde (Britain) 3-6, 6-0, 7-5, 6-3.

Lott and Sotefen (U.S.) beat A. Hendri and Burtz Noulware (U.S.) 6-0, 6-0, 6-0.

V. G. Kirby and R. Menzel beat J. McDiarmid and R Bryan (U.S.) 6-3, 7-5, 6-4. *Reuter.*

RESTRICTION IN TEA PLANTING

London, August 21.

At the suggestion of the International Tea Committee, the governments of Kenya, Tanganyika, Uganda and Nyasaland have agreed to limit their total planting of new tea to 7,900 acres and to prohibit the export of tea seed during the currency of the tea control scheme.—*Reuter.*

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BRILLIANT 440 RECORD BY G. L. RAMPLING

26-Year-Old Figure Lowered At British Empire Games

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, August 9.

The Empire Games Athletics ended on a triumphant note at the White City yesterday. Three more British records were broken, and in the mile J. E. Lovelock, of New Zealand, failed by only 4-5th sec. to beat his own figures of 4min. 12sec.

G. L. Rampling, the Army and A.A.A. champion, was the hero of the day and, indeed, of the Games. In winning the quarter-mile in 48sec. he beat by 2-5th sec. the 26-year-old record set up by Lt. Halswelle at Glasgow in 1908.

Miss Eileen Hiscock, a London girl, won the women's 220yds. in 25sec., and the third record of the afternoon was established by Miss Marjorie Clark, of South Africa, who won the 80 metres hurdles in 11 4-5th sec.

There was a big surprise in the Marathon, in which H. Webster, of Canada, defeated the favourite, D. McNab Robertson, of Scotland, by four and a half minutes.

THE OLD RAMPLING

It was the old Rampling we saw in the quarter-mile yesterday—strong and imperious. He drew the fourth lane and did not bother to race anybody. He concentrated on his own running.

For sheer speed and rhythmic power he was the best sight seen on a British track. Nor did he weaken as he swept into the straight with a commanding lead. He broke the tape in unimpaired form.

If Rampling's running suggested poetry—the dynamic energy of William Blake—we had melodious prose from J. E. Lovelock. He controlled the mile from the start. He tapped his resources with unerring discretion, and anticipated and dealt with the strenuous challenges of J. F. Cornes and S. C. Wooderson with perfect serenity.

If only Lovelock had known in the last forty yards, when he had beaten off all opposition, how near he was running to his own British record, how easily could he have beaten it! Or if Cornes could have produced one of his old bursts of speed he would have been driven to break it.

Those fugitive moments in which we watched first Lovelock and then Rampling give of their best shed perpetual benediction on us all. This had all happened before three o'clock yesterday, and yet the rest of the events until the Marathon runners returned soon after five were anything but anti-climax.

We were still to have two more records. Eileen Hiscock raced away from her field in the 220 yards. She was in an outside lane, but her amazing speed needed no competitive urge. She ran this distance in 25 seconds.

MISS CLARK'S GREAT WIN

The women's 80-metre hurdle race yielded not only a new record, but a brilliant race. Over the first five flights Betty Taylor, of Canada, showed incomparable form and celerity and looked a certain winner. But Marjorie Clark, of South Africa, buoyant after her high jump record on Saturday, and despite a bad start, seemed suddenly to remember all that S. J. M. Atkinson had taught her in Natal about hurdling.

Atkinson is an Olympic champion and holder of the British hurdle record. Marjorie Clark now holds an Empire hurdle title. She decided she was going to win, and she did; nor did her determination upset her style. Many who shared a distaste for women's athletics were saying after that race: "Well I'm not so sure."

An unnatural masculinity need not attach to women who excel. Betty Taylor's quiet eyes and gentle voice are an absolute denial of the dogmatic presumption that it does.

Miss Taylor's beautiful race was a signal for Canada to get going. At the moment she was hurdling so well H. Webster, of Canada, was running into an unassailable lead in the marathon.

LONG JUMP FOR RICHARDSON

Sam Richardson, the coloured, happy-faced long jumper, then jumped 23ft. 2in. This qualified him for the three final jumps, and at that juncture he was only 1½in behind John Luckhoff, of South Africa.

Being only 17 years old, Richardson revelled in the extra trial. He added a little over 4in to his qualifying jump and won the event. Luckhoff could not improve. In fairness to him it should be said that he only came to the long jump after a succession of highly creditable javelin throws, one of which gained him third place. The second was also won by a South African—the great H. B. Hart.

Hart once threw the javelin 204ft under irritable and exacting circumstances. He had not thrown over 190ft for two years until he took up the implement yesterday. He has been concentrating on the shot and discus, which he won not only in these Games but also in the first Empire Games in Canada in 1930.

R. Dixon, of Canada, won the javelin yesterday with 196ft 11in. The "Maple Leaf" soon became a well-known tune at the White City. Dixon, Richardson and finally Webster mounted the winner's dais, while the crowd stood to attention and the band played that anthem.

MILE RELAY THRILLS

The big team that Canada so patriotically sent over certainly deserved this steady flow of success. And in the Mile Relay they gave a magnificent account of themselves. The English combination of Rampling, Stoneley, G. N. Blake, and D. L. Rathbone was formidable, but the Canadian quarter-milers stuck to them, and only a really heroic run by Stoneley gave England victory.

Ray Lewis, the coloured Canadian, was five yards behind Rampling when the final distance began. That should have been enough to daunt the toughest runner, but did not daunt Lewis. He actally went up a little on the British record-holder, and then clung on gallantly to the tape four yards in Rampling's wake.

A. W. Sweeney doubled up his 100 yards win on Saturday by lifting the Empire 220 title and again M. W. Theunisson, of South Africa, was his great opponent. Theunissen, in an outside lane, started brilliantly and round the bend seemed to gain a little on Sweeney; he certainly did on the rest of the field. But in the straight his head went up and he began to slacken. Sweeney quickly went into the lead and kept there. His form as vigorous, his confidence decisive.

Sweeney joins H. B. Hart, of South Africa, Marjorie Clarke, also of South Africa, and Eileen Hiscock, of England as a dual winner in these Games.

Hart was joined by M. C. Nokes in retaining an Empire title won in 1930. Only these two maintained a four-year consistency. Hart improved by 4in in both the discus and the shot; Nokes by nearly 4ft in the hammer. He won this event yesterday with a gorgeous throw of 158ft 3½in.

MARATHON FOR CANADA

D. McL. Wright, of Scotland, made a plucky attempt to hold the Empire Marathon, which he won in Canada. But his countryman, D. McNab Robertson, was too good for him. Better than both, however, was H. Webster of Canada.

Tanned—with a face like granite—he imperturbably trotted the final two laps in the Stadium amid tumultuous applause, and when he had broken the tape there was still no sign of Robertson.

The new way of running this race at the White City—starting there with four laps and ending with two—is a good one. P. Kelly, of Newfoundland, led the field for the first four laps. He is a curious runner, with a short uneasy motion. Observing the runners separately, he appeared to be going slower than anyone, but there he was, definitely in the lead.

Kelly continued this defiant progress, and led field towards Hayes and Southall. After 15 miles blistered feet forced him to retire, and Webster went strongly into the lead.

Robertson, the favourite, now moved up into second place, but although still in that position at 20 miles it was with consternation that we heard he was more than 2½ min behind the Canadian.

The Scot could not close the gap; Webster widened it instead, and won by 4½ min in the fine time of 2h. 40min. 36sec. for the 26 miles 385 yards which constitute the Marathon distance.

And so three historic days in the annals of British athletics came to an impressive conclusion.

FOOTBALL LAWS

The Free Kick

When a free kick has been awarded, the kicker's opponents shall not approach within ten yards of the ball, until the kick is taken, unless they are standing on their own goal line The ball must at least be rolled over before it shall be considered played, i.e., it must make a complete circle or travel the distance of its circumference. The kicker shall not play the ball a second time until it has been played by another player. The kick-off (except as provided by Law 2), corner kick and goal-kick shall be free kicks within the meaning of this Law.

Official Decisions

Players who do not retire to the proper distance when a free kick is taken must be cautioned, and on any repetition be ordered off. It is particularly requested of Referees that attempts to delay the taking of a free kick by encroaching should be treated as serious misconduct. (Council, December, 1910.)

Instruction to Referees

It is the Referee's duty to see that all free kicks are taken from the proper place and not allow a free kick to be taken until he has given a signal. The usual signal is a whistle. The free kick must be taken without delay. Nothing slows a game more than wasting time in taking a free kick. It is also unfair to delay bearing in mind that a goal may be scored from a free kick awarded for a breach of Law 9. If opponents persist in encroaching act promptly and caution them.

The kick must not be allowed if the ball is on the move while it is being taken.

Instruction to Players

Players must wait for the signal from the Referee before taking the kick-off or free kick.

Opponents must not approach within ten yards of the ball until the kick has been taken.

Players neglecting this instruction are liable to be ordered off the field

Free Kick From Which Goal May Be Scored

A goal may be scored direct from a corner-kick, and if a free kick is awarded because of any infringement of Law 9, a goal may be scored against the offending side direct from such free-kick but not from any other free-kick.

Instruction to Referees

Special notice should be taken of the fact that a goal may be scored direct, whether the ball touches a player of either side or not, from a corner-kick, or from a free kick awarded for tripping, kicking, jumping at, holding, pushing, violently or dangerously charging an opponent, illegally from behind or handing the ball (breaches of Law 9). But it must be remembered that a free kick awarded for any other breach of the Laws does not come under this regulation. Note that a goal cannot be scored direct from a kick-off, or goal-kick; or from free kick awarded for the following breaches of Laws:—

(a) Player playing the ball a second time before it has been played by another player, after throwing in or taking a free-kick or a penalty kick.

(b) Off-side.

(c) Carrying by goal-keeper.

(d) Charging goal-keeper at wrong time, the charging being otherwise fair.

(e) Playing the ball before it has touched the ground after being dropped to re-start play after a stoppage.

(f) Ball not kicked forward from a penalty kick.

(g) Dangerous play.

Instruction to Players

Players should remember that a goal may be scored from a free kick imposed for infringement of Law 9, or from a corner kick.

HOME FOOTBALL SEASON OPEN ON SATURDAY

EIGHTY-FOUR TEAMS IN INITIAL GAMES

Selection Of The Probable Winners

England's sporting public will have much to hold their attention this week, for apart from the great interest aroused by the final Test, for the greater portion of the public at least, something far more interesting is in store—the opening of the football season.

A full programme of matches has been arranged for Saturday when all the best teams will be on view. Early as the season is, there is already some talk regarding the prospects of the "favourites" and in this respect Aston Villa ranks very high. No less than eighty-two teams will be engaged in the four sections of the English and each one is quietly confident of "doing things."

Some considerable change has taken place since the last season but in most cases the favourite players have remained with their "old loves" and while it is too early to make any forecasts regarding the chances of the teams for Saturda'ys matches, I give below the fixtures with the probable winners in bold type.

FIRST DIVISION

BIRMINGHAM v. Aston Villa
DERBY CO. v. Chelsea
Leeds U. v. Middlesbro'
LEICESTER v. Wolves
LIVERPOOL v. Blackburn
Portsmouth v. ARSENAL
PRESTON, N.E. v. Grimsby
WEDNESDAY v. Stoke
SUNDERLAND v. Huddersfield
TOTTENHAM v. Everton
WEST BROM. v. Manchester C.

SECOND DIVISION

BRADFORD v. Barnsley
BRENTFORD v. Norwich
BURNLEY v. Southampton
BURY v. Blackpool
FULHAM v. Plymouth
MANCHESTER U. v. Bradford C.
Notts Forest v. NEWCASTLE
OLDHAM v. Bolton
Port Vale v. SHEFFIELD U.
SWANSEA v. Notts Co.

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Aldershot v. Crystal Palace
BRIGHTON v. Bristol Rovers
BRISTOL C. v. Watford
Cardiff v. Charlton
CLAPTON O. v. Reading
COVENTRY v. Northampton
EXETER v. Newport
GILLINGHAM v. Torquay
LUTON v. Southend
SWINDON v. Queen's P. R.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

ACCRINGTON v. New Brigton
CREWE v. Doncaster
DARLINGTON v. York
GATESHEAD v. Chester
HALIFAX v. Mansfield
LINCOLN v. Rochdale
Rotherham v. CHESTERFIELD
STOCKPORT v. Southport
TRANMERE v. Carlisle
WALSALL v. Hartlepools
WREXHAM v. Barrow

U. S. BASEBALL

Nine Runs In One Inning

New York, Aug. 22.

The remarkable score of nine runs in a single inning, was made by the Cleveland Indians in their final round at the diamond, and they beat Philadelphia Athletics by a 12 to 11 tally.

New York Yankees beat the St. Louis Braves by 8-6, Louis Gehrig scoring two home runs for the winners.

New York Giants, world champions, went down to Cincinnati Reds by an odd run.

The following were the results:

National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	10	3
Cincinnati	4	6	1
Brooklyn	9	15	1
Pittsburgh	5	12	1

Chapman homered for Brooklyn.

Philadelphia	6	7	0
Chicago	1	6	4

Galan homered for Chicago.

Boston	2	7	0
St. Louis	6	10	1

R. Moore homered for Boston.

American League

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	12	9	0
Philadelphia	11	13	0

Higgin homered for Philadelphia.

St. Louis	8	11	3
New York	6	9	2

Lou Gehrig hit two home for New York.

Detroit	8	10	1
Boston	4	9	2

Greenberg and Owen homered for Detroit.

Reuter.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Clyde And Hamilton Draw

London, Aug. 21.

Meeting in the first division of the Scottish League to-day, Clyde, and Hamilton, on the former's ground, played a drawn match, each team scoring three goals.—*Reuter.*

LAWN BOWLS

K.B.G.C. Team For Saturday

The following have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their league matches against C.C.C. "A" on Saturday.

First Team At K.B.G.C.

(C.C.C. "A")

J. Watson, A. S. Russell, J. H. Budding, L. Guy (Skip).

R. Duncan V. Petherick, S. Randle, R. Hall (Skip).

P. T. Farrell, M. J. Henderson, J. G. Meyer, W. Macfarlane (Skip).

Second Team At C.C.C.

J. Macdonald, E. V. Searle, J. G. Charlton, G. E. F. Thompson (Skip).

J. L. Tetley, C. L. Farmer, C. B. Hosking J. S. Logan (Skip).

H. F. Stoneham, D. W. Waterton, W. E. Hale, H. H. Rose (Skip).

MUSIC EXAMS

Local Girl's Success

The following are the results of the Theory Examinations held at the University of Hong Kong, on June 9 last.

ASSOCIATE DIPLOMA

Miss Choy Oi Chee, having now passed the full examination, has had conferred upon her by the College, the Professional Diploma of Associate of the College (A.T.C.L.). Other awards are as follows:

Senior Division (Pass)

Julia Liang.

Intermediate Division (Honours)

Luk Lulumai.
Bella Ma.
May Chan.

Pass:

Lee Chi Yin.

Junior Division (Honours)

Lena Chen.
Choy Wing Yuen.
Alicia Guterres.
Maisie Kotewell.
Emma Lim.
Carmelita Remedios.

Preparatory Division (Honours)

Kathleen Dedeoglou.
Olive Lee.
Hilarie Betty Martin.
Yvonne Frances Martin.
Mary Joan Smith.

WATER POLO

Inter-Unit Finals

Two very exciting water-polo games were seen at Shamshuipo yesterday, when the South Wales Borderers defeated the Royal Artillery by 6 goals to 2 in the final of the Inter-Unit Water Polo Championship and the Lincolnshire Regiment defeated the Small Units by the odd goal in three for third place in the same event.

In the latter game which was played first, both sides were too intent on playing the man instead of the ball and the result every time was the loss of a scoring opportunity.

The Lincolns should have run away with the win but dilly-dallying in front of their opponents goal and frayed tempers threw away many a glorious opportunity.

The Small Units on the other hand were the worse of the two teams and should have concentrated on long range shots. With the opportunities presented them and the wonderful openings they could have at least squared the account.

Borderers Splendid

The Borderers fully deserved their win against the Royal Artillery in the final—thanks to L/-Cpl. W. T. Campbell and L/Cpl. E. Fullager,—and during the second half of the game held the upper hand throughout.

Bad passing among the Gunners lost them openings while petty infringements also gave their opponents many opportunities of getting dangerous.

The Gunner's defence was good to a certain degree, but wild passing to the forwards and waste of time by the forwards in attempting to score were the main factors in their downfall.

Campbell and Fullager at centre forward and centre half, respectively, worked very hard and the former was responsible for four good goals.

Fullager could improve if he let everyman play his own game instead of attempting to play the whole of the opposing defence by himself.

Time and again one of the Borderers forwards broke away only to lose a good oportunity of scoring by passing back to Fullager as a result of a "call."

Lost Opportunities

The weather was not too ideal for water-polo although it might have been worse.

Both teams started off at a terrific pace but it began to have a telling effect on the Gunners towards the close of the first half when bad passing on account of being exhausted lost them many glorious openings.

The shooting on both sides in the opening half was poor, too many of the players attempting back-handers which were too easily stopped by opposing players.

In the second half the Borderers held the upper hand throughout and worked this to their advantage. Their passing was better although the forwards would have done better if they had kept moving instead of being rooted to one spot.

Both goal-keepers, particularly the Gunners' keeper, played splendid games and could hardly be held responsible for the shots which passed them.

A very large gathering including many officers and their wives, witnessed the game.

INTER-CLUB AQUATICS

The Two "Y's" To Meet

It will be recalled that originally the Inter-Club Swimming contest between the European and Chinese Y.M.C.A.'s were to be held on two separate nights and were comprised of 12 events.

Owing to lack of swimmers the events have been cut down and it is now proposed to hold the gala on September 5, at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Bridges Street, commencing at 7.30 p.m.

The following is the tentative programme with the European Y.M.C.A. representatives given in brackets:—

50 Yards Free Style (H. G. Lange and R. B. Wood)
120 Yards Medley Relay, Back, Breast and Free Styles (F. J. Anslow, W. F. Kerr and E. F. Selk).
Long Plunge (S. Fowler and H. F. Lange).
220 Yards Free Style (H. G. Lange and W. F. Kerr)
100 Yards Breast Stroke (R. B. Wood and G. Fowler)
Fancy Diving (E. F. Selk and R. Goldman)
50 Yards Back Stroke (F. J. Anslow and H. F. Lange)
100 Yards Free Style (H. G. Lange and R. B. Wood)
160 Yards Free Style Relay (teams of 4) (R. B. Wood, G. H. Fowler, R. Goldman and E. F. Selk)

The swimmers named have not yet consented to compete although the Y.M.C.A. hope to be able to field their team as given above.

This is, incidentally, the first Inter-Club swimming contest to take place for 2½ years.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

THE Motor Ship "FULDA" having arrived from BREMEN, HAMBURG and Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Cargo is being landed at their risk into the Godowns of The Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, where delivery can be obtained.

Consignees are further notified that the motor ship "FULDA" has taken at HAMBURG and BREMEN through cargo for HONG KONG ex S.S. "GANTER," S.S. "ALE," S.S. "LUMME" S.S. "KONG RING," S.S. "EMDEN," S.S. "JARL" and S.S. "JELO" from KOTKA, VIIPURI, OSLO, COPENHAGEN, STOCKHOLM and DRAMMEN.

All goods remaining undelivered after the 29th of August, 1934, will be subject to rent.

NO FIRE INSURANCE will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the godown for examination by the consignees and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ashe, at 10 a.m. on the 28th of August, 1934.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's surveyors.

No claim will be admitted after the goods have left the godown and all claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the ship's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognised.

Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature.

MELCHERS & CO.,
Agents:
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN.
Hong Kong, 22nd August, 1934.

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GOLF BALL
"Lasts till it's lost!"

BRITISH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP
AMERICAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP
CANADIAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP
AUSTRALIAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP
are included amongst the many other successes achieved with Spalding Balls during 1933

HONG KONG TRADE RETURNS

(Continued from Column 7)

Italy	64,276	2,508
	(228,998)	(152,339)
Japan	2,386,692	642,497
	(2,380,412)	(1,078,069)
K.C. Wan	460 519	504,779
	(592,126)	(676,692)
Macao	677,081	1,374,133
	(589,044)	(1,677,628)
Norway	29,970	244
	(49,854)	(2,281)
N. E. Indies	2,184,501	754 135
	(4,108,757)	(735,866)
Philippines	87,379	400,670
	(109,851)	(518,979)
Siam	2,845,726	1 164,581
	(3,963,978)	(860,372)
S. America	10,010	193,486
	(300)	(29,856)
Sweden	39,758	3,770
	(147,027)	(1,687)
Switzerland	17,234	1 500
	(57,866)	(555)
Spain	9,566	5,088
	(9,734)	(60)
U.S.A.	2,080,647	979,759
	(1,520,967)	(1,809,510)
Others	108,386	108 826
	(33,454)	(78,778)

COMMODITY FIGURES

The total values by main groups of commodities, with the figures for July, 1933, in brackets are given below:—

	Imports $	Exports $
Animals, Live	818,118	28,587
	(1,095,605)	(27,380)
Building Materials	551,205	280,917
	(822,534)	(348,573)
Chemicals and Drugs	490,453	290,722
	(441,298)	(257,942)
Chinese Medicine	1,069,123	955 022
	(1,142,735)	(999,752)
Dyeing Materials	377,362	233,007
	(393,444)	(288,434)
Foodstuffs	10,040,991	8,268,431
	(14 195,757)	(11,405,229)
Fuels	765,193	82,883
	(1, 169,964)	(154,183)
Hardware	262,074	183,629
	(340,939)	(157,171)
Liquors	247,619	71,914
	(322,645)	(48,042)
Machinery & Engines	483 184	58,313
	(559,957)	(182,513)
Manures	131,116	254,258
	(864,868)	(792,089)
Metals	1,749,328	1,561,976
	(3,138,550)	(2,527 171)
Minerals & Ores	88,691	339,716
	(101,797)	(42,607)
Nuts & Seeds	607,690	350,293
	(426 875)	(295,308)
Oils & Fats	2,443,251	1,742,834
	(3,404,526)	(1,991,049)
Paints	127,200	85,857
	(117,973)	(152,547)
Paper	745,232	553 796
	(634,377)	(579,796)
Piece Goods	3,965,554	3,312,875
	(3,727,129)	(3,061,224)
Railway Materials	9,646	1,925
	(1 271)	(2,068)
Tobacco	673,569	349,392
	(404,836)	(317,340)
Treasure	7,519,389	8,326,694
	(2,131,304)	(13,483,730)
Vehicles	138,871	125 377
	(397,711)	(126,079)
Wearing Apparel	230,853	625,347
	(327,020)	(574,611)
Sundries		
Bags	246,042	268,178
	(526,027)	(398,379)
Electrical Apparatus	212,397	381,594
	(525 356)	(278,867)
Hides	201,657	82,292
	(196,666)	(185,413)
Leather (All kinds)	273,463	71,610
	(342,898)	(74,231)
Matches	158,512	139,209
	(153,809)	(142 782)
Others	2,599,140	2,539,148
	(2 887,872)	(3,330,344)
Total	37,224,923	31,567,491
	(40,795,743)	(42,223,478)

COMPARISONS OF QUANTITIES

The following comparative table shows the quantities of certain of the chief commodities imported into Hong Kong during the months of July, 1933 and July, 1934:—

		July, 1933	July, 1934
Animals, Live			
Cattle	Head	5,036	5,090
Pigs	Head	28,002	24 626
Building Materials			
Bricks and Tiles	Pieces	1,606,098	783,063
Cement	Piculs	246,317	126,844
Glass	Sq. Ft.	1,306,926	558,544
Lime	Piculs	1,615	338
Timber	Cu. Ft.	301,110	206 167
Chemicals and Drugs			
Acids	Piculs	2,776	745
Alum	"	1,253	457
Bleaching Powder	"	1,081	665
Soda Ash	"	4,904	9,320
Dyeing & Tanning Materials			
Betelnuts	"	3,919	8,300
Cutch	"	1,170	504
Cambier	"	4,420	3,927
Indigo (Art.)	"	568	148
Mangrove Bark	"	3,746	1,002
Sapan Wood	"	230	115
Foodstuffs			
Beans	"	52,395	45,890
Fresh Fish	"	13,057	9,270
Shark Fins	"	2 787	1,236
Flour (Wheat)	"	62,848	75,107
Poultry	Head	233,084	223,787
Bacon and Ham	lbs.	54,281	58,768
Rice	Piculs	1,668,257	1,077 695
Sugar	"	318,710	231,130
Onions	"	9,073	6,092
Potatoes	"	16 465	7,869
Vegetables (Fresh and Dried)	"	64,137	76,794
Ginger (Fresh)	"	4,863	1,463
Fuels			
Coal	Tons	77,280	46,035
Firewood	Piculs	179,802	202 297
Liquors			
Malt Liquors	Gallons	28,868	29,808
Spirits	"	8,465	6,435
Wines	"	2,705	2,273
Native Liquors	"	14,687	18 070
Metals			
Iron and Steel Bars	Piculs	126,535	59,798
Lead, Pig	"	2,979	1,089
Wire Nails	"	5,447	1,493
Tin Slabs	"	8,597	2,933
Tin Plates	"	27,347	14,987
Nuts and Seeds			
Groundnuts	"	13,813	48,327
Melon Seeds	"	1,951	5,613
Pepper	"	1,607	2,709
Sesamum Seeds	"	6,974	5,589
Other Seeds	"	3,282	2,818
Oils and Fats			
Petrol	Gallons	454,512	520,621
Kerosene	"	2,863,629	402,759
Lard	Piculs	1,405	361
Paraffin Wax	"	12,427	11,178
Cocoanut Oil	"	975	2,119
Linseed Oil	"	331	371
Peanut Oil	"	12,422	17,697
Wood Oil	"	13,741	15,438
Piece Goods			
Cotton	Pieces	93,688	70,503
	Yards	2 451,426	1,970,959
Suitings	"	6,048	7,409
Union Cloth	"	1,000	1,230
Silk Piece Goods	Piculs	838	745
Art. Silk Yarn			
Tobacco	lbs.	36,160	199,358
Cigarettes	"	110,284	60,784
Foreign Tobacco	"	1,028	1,279
Native Tobacco	"	106 394	64,692
Raw Tobacco	"	481,536	1,004,914
Sundries			
Gunnies	Pieces	1,686,042	808,619
Hides	Piculs	9,785	11,365
Leather (Sole)	"	4,700	3,039
Mats (Others)	Bales	22,734	1,714
Paper (Chinese)	Piculs	6,984	7,951
Common Soap	"	958	1,311

CURRENT NEWS FROM CHINA

APPOINTMENT BY NANKING

Denied in South

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 22.

That the Nanking Military Commission will appoint General Pai Hsung Hsi, prominent Kwangsi military leader, to be second-in-command of the anti-Communist troops south route expedition, is totally without foundation. This report is circulated through the publicity service of the Nanking Kuomintang.

The Commander-in-Chief of the south route anti-Red expedition is General Chen Tsai Tong, who accepted the commission from the South-west Political Council. General Pai Hsung Hsi is second-in-command of Kwangsi forces and has no spare time to accept a concurrent post offered from Nanking.

Nanking issued this report in order to tell the world that complete harmony has prevailed between the South-west and the Central Authorities. Other reports, which turned out to be groundless, are that General Chen Tsai Tong will shortly visit Nanking, that Mr. Hu Han Min will leave Hong Kong, for abroad, and that the military men of Kwangtung and Kwangsi are in strong support of the Fifth Kuomintang National Congress.

These "scoops" from Nanking were featured by newspapers in Shanghai and Nanking. Most of them were translated into English for the foreign Press, the service being absolutely free.

DROUGHT RELIEF COMMISSION

Measures To Be Taken

Hankow, August 6.

The Drought Relief Commission of the Hupeh Provincial Government held its first meeting last Saturday in the office of the Commissioner of Civil Affairs and heard reports on the extent of drought in the interior districts. About 30 prominent Chinese business leaders in Hankow were also present at the meeting to participate in the discussion of the measures for relief.

In reporting on the gravity of the calamities in Hupeh, Mr. Meng Kwang Peng, Commissioner of Civil Affairs, stated that at least 40 districts or Hsiens are stricken by drought and 4 districts by flood due to the overflow of the Han River. In most of the drought stricken districts, including Huangmei, Huangpei, Hsiaokan, Ouchen, Wuchang, Macheng, where the distress is most serious, there has been no rain for the past 40 or 50 days. There is no hope of saving the rice crops even if rain should fall now. Many rice-riots have been reported from cities including Wuchang, where rice shops were robbed in broad daylight by refugees. Large number of farmers have fled from their homes in search for food and refugees are beginning to pour into Wuchang.

The measures which the Provincial Government has already taken consist chiefly in raising funds to give the refugees immediate relief. In view of the gravity of situation, the Provincial Government has decided to abandon its long cherished plan for a new office building and to divert the fund of $500,000 to relieve the drought and flood refugees. A campaign for public contribution to a drought relief funds is being planned and will soon be launched. A representative has also been sent to Nanking to petition the Central Government to appropriate $1,000,000 for relief purposes.—*Chekiai Agency.*

RED HORDES

Roving from Place to Place

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 22.

The Communist bands who made an attempt to invade Pingshek and Yanfa in Northern Kwangtung are driven away by the Third Independent Division which is aided by one air squadron of bombing planes. The Reds, according to official reports, are returning to Eastern Kiangsi.

It is also reported that the same Communist units are driven out of Kweitung and Yucheng, in Southern Hunan, by the Hunan provincial troops. No definite word is learned as to where the Reds have gone. They have been hiding in Southern Hunan for some time and make their appearance and disappearance very suddenly.

A high officer of the second division of the First Group Army stated that the Communists in Southern Hunan attempted only to secure foodstuffs and arms and that there were no serious efforts to invade Kwangtung, which is well defended.

He said that Li Ming Jui no longer commanded the Red hordes, as he died some time ago. The remnants are now led by "Lieut.-General" Hsiao Hak, the second-in command.

General Yu Han Mou, commanding officer of the First Army, instructs his propaganda unit at Tayu in Southern Kiangsi, to be very careful in the publicity work, which must be uniform and standardized. The objective is to point out the wickedness of the Reds, and the villagers are urged not to furnish them with supplies or any help.

WAR AGAINST SMUGGLING

Stern Measures To Be Taken

Nanking, Aug. 6.

To prevent smuggling, the Ministry of Finance has decided to redemarcate China's coast as from the current fiscal year (July 1, 1934-June 30, 1935) into four principal and seven subordinate anti-smuggling areas.

The four principal anti-smuggling areas are:

1. From Shanhaikwan to Haichow, with Chefoo as the base of operations of the Customs cruisers.
2. From Tsingtao to Sanmenwan, including the Yangtsze River, with Shanghai as the base.
3. From the Chusan archipelago to Chelangchio, with Amoy as base.
4. From Shihpaishan up to the coast of Annam, with Kowloon as base.

"Subordinate" Areas

The seven subordinate anti-smuggling areas are:

1. From Shihtao to Haichow, with Tsingtao as the base of operations.
2. From Wenchow to Wuchiutsui, with Foochow as base.
3. From Kuleitow to Chelangchio, with Swatow as base.
4. From Shihpaishan to Shuitung, including the Pearl (Canton) River, to be placed under the direct jurisdiction of the Kowloon Customs.
5. From Chihshingmen to Kwanghaikow, including Motomen, with Kungpei as base.
6. From Shuitung to Anpu and Hainan Island, with Kiungchow as base.
7. From Shuitung to the Annum border, with Pakhoi as base.

A total of 37 Customs revenue cutters has been assigned to the service.—*Kuo Min.*

AGRICULTURAL RELIEF

Plan to Assist Farmers

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 22.

Agricultural experts of the Political Research Committee are deliberating on how to spend the $5,000,000 for the relief of agriculture as proposed by General Chen Tsai Tong, Commander-in-Chief of the First Group Army, who is also a member of the Institute.

The committee in charge of drafting a plan to assist the farmers consists of the heads of the agricultural bureau, the silk improvement bureau, the agricultural exploitation department of the 1st Group Army, and others. As soon as the plan is drawn up, a report will be submitted to General Chen.

There is no difficulty in raising the $5,000,000 in aiding the harassed farmers. The tax on imported agricultural goods yields more than $2,400,000 a month, and when this tax was imposed, it was emphasized that the proceeds realized would be devoted to the improvement of agriculture. The tax has been effective since September 18, 1933, and has turned in about $20,000,000 altogether.

It is learned that about eighty per cent. of the 30,000,000 people in Kwangtung are engaged in farming and other kinds of agricultural work. Their welfare requires primary consideration. The prosperity of the province depends on the purchasing power of the farmers and peasants.

Money to be spent on the improvement of sericulture will eat up a good amount of the $5,000,000 because the silk industry is one of the principal lines of export from Kwangtung.

HORRORS IN CHEKIANG

Farmers Crazed By Hunger And Superstitions

Shanghai, Aug. 17.

All China seems to be in trial and tribulation. With famine already grievous in the South-west and the Yellow River overflowing her banks to make desolate the North, and the drought in the Yangtze Valley, the burdens of the patient people in many places are already past bearing.

Tales of horrors perpetrated by men and women made desperate by want and hunger have already come in from the outports and far inland stations. None exceed the story of rapine and outrage as comes from Chekiang where the drought appears to have been worst for the central provinces.

According to information gathered in Hangchow for the "Shanghai Chenpao," rice stores have been ransacked, children exchanged for food, and to add to the stark realism of famine conditions, the sorry superstitions of the ruined farmers is adding to their misery and driving them to desperate acts of vengeance and reprisal.

Magistrate Ordered to Bow

At Kiangshan in southern Chekiang, because the Kuomintang office there were too enlightened to believe in Dragon Gods, the farmers banded themselves into a raiding party and destroyed the place entirely.

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Other incidents of like nature have been reported from other districts and, for all the authorities are able to do, they are unable to curb the fanaticism of many of the more desperate farmers, who, having nothing to lose now, lead the vanguard of the raids and trouble-makers.

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Hong Kong Stock Exchange					Sharebrokers' Association			
Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	WEDNESDAY. AUGUST 22.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
...	...	...	$1,725	H.K. Banks		...	...	$1,725
...	...	...	£135	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£15¾	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£16
...	...	...	£31	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£30½
...	...	...	£13½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£15½
...	...	...	$84	Bank of East Asia	$84	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$5.80
...	...	...	$20	Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Do. Pref. S.	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
...	...	...	$290	Canton Insurances	...	$290	...	...
...	...	...	$1.30	Underwriters	$1.20	...		...
$545	...	...	...	Union Insurances	...	...	—	$540
...	...	...	$510	China Fires	...	...	...	$550
...	...	...	$245	H.K. Fires	...	$250	...	...
...	...	...	$6	International Assce. S.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$40.65	Douglases	$41½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$7	Steamboats	...	...	...	$7
...	...	...	$30	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$30
...	...	...	$33	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$35
...	...	...	46/3	Shells	...	...	...	47/6
...	...	...	$13¼	Waterboats	...	...	...	$13½
				Mining				
...	...	...	60 cts.	Amtaoks	...	...	59 cts.	...
...	...	...	$36½	Balatcoc	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	44 cts.	Baguio Gold	41 cts.	...	41 cts.	...
...	...	...	$40	Benguet Consolidated	...	...	...	$41½
...	...	...	19 cts.	Do. Exploration	...	...	...	19 cts.
...	...	...	20 cts.	Do. Goldfield	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	12 cts.	Big Wedge	...	...	...	13 cts.
...	...	...	24 cts	Gold River	...	...	...	24 cts.
...	...	...	$2	Gold Creek	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2½	Ipo Mining	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Itogons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	24/6	Kailans	...	...	...	27/-
...	...	...	$17½	Langkats (single) S.	...	...	...	$18½
...	...	...	$5	Explorations S.	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	$6½	Shanghai Loans S.	...	...	...	$6.
$13.10	...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	...	$13½
$7	...	...	...	Venezuela Gold Flds.	...	...	...	$6.80
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
...	...	...	$113	H.K. & K. Wharves.	...	...	...	$112
$1.60	...	...	...	Providents (old)	$1.60	...	...	...
...	...	...	50 cts	Do. (new)	...	...	...	45 ct.
...	...	14½/60	...	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	$14½	...
...	...	...	...	S. China Motors 'A'	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	$117	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$115
...	...	...	$5	New Engineerings S.	...	...	...	$5¾
...	...	...	$312½	Hongkews (old) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$310	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$5.40	...	...	...	H.K. Hotels	$5.50	...	...	...
...	...	...	$53	H.K. Lands S.	$52½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$26½	Shanghai Lands S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5.20	H.K. Realties	...	...	...	$5.10
...	...	...	$15½	China Do S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$137	Do. Debentures S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10.40	Humphreys	...	...	...	$10.40
...	...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	$45	...	...
...	...	...	$140	Asia Realties "A" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Do. "B" S.	...	...	...	...
$85	...	...	...	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
...	...	...	$11.10	Ewos S.	$11.10	...	...	...
...	...	...	$73½	S'hai Cottons (old) S.	...	...	...	$72½
...	...	...	$43	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$11½	Zoong Sings S.	...	...	...	$11½
...	...	...	$55	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	$55
				Public Utilities				
$21.15	...	...	...	Tramways	$21.15	...	...	...
...	...	...	$15	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$14
...	...	...	$7	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$10½	Star Ferries	$39½	...	...	...
$21½	...	...	...	Yaumati Ferries	...	...	...	$21½
...	...	...	$8.90	China Lights (old)	$8.70	...	$8.80	...
$8.35	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$8.30	...	...	...
...	...	...	$71½	H.K. Electrics	$71½	$71¾	...	...
...	...	...	$25	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$8	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$24.20	Telephones (old)	$23.85	$24.20	...	...
...	...	...	$11.80	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$11.9
...	...	...	$13.20	China Buses S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	5/-	Tractions	...	...	...	...
17/-	...	...	...	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$11	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$21	Caldbeck, Macgregors (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Do. (pref.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2.70	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$2¾
...	...	...	$2.55	Cements	$2½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4.35	Ropes	...	$4.40	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$25.60	Dairy Farms	...	...	...	$25.85
...	...	...	$1	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Amusements	...	...	...	$3½
...	...	...	$7½	Ch. E'tainments	...	...	...	$7.80
...	...	...	$1.60	Constructions, (old)	$1.65	...	...	...
78 cts.	...	...	...	Do. (new)	75 cts.	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4.30	Lane Crawfords	$4.10	...	...	...
...	...	...	$21	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	$4¾	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	Sinceres	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	$5.60	Watsons	$5.80	...	...	...
...	...	...	70 cts.	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	55 ct.
...	...	...	$2	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1.30	S. C. Enterprises	$1.25	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2	United Theatres S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	88%	Ch.G. 5% 1925 G. $ Bds.	86%	...	...	...
...	...	prem.	7½%	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	...	...	...	7½%
2½%	perm.	...	...	Do. 3½%	2½%	...	3½%	...
...	...	...	$7½	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$108	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	$120
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do.	...	...	...	$115

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CHINESE ORPHANS

Under the Auspices of the Australian, Empire and World Music Link which she founded in 1925, Madame Lottie Gordon has for many months been working on the above Scholarship plans, which were finally completed on July the 7th last, when Miss Beatrice Wong (B.A.) (a former pupil of Madame Gordon) and a daughter of Dr. B. C. Wong, of Kowloon Tong was appointed the first Music Link Assistant Teacher. Madame Gordon will confer with Bishop Hall re the Scholarship Division and she hopes to send Teachers headed by Miss Wong to the Blind Home, Pokfulam, and the Victoria Home for Orphans. Many will receive Teachers training.

Free Scholarships for other Nations will also be awarded.

THE CHIENTANG BRIDGE

Nanking, Aug. 6.

The construction expenses of the iron Bridge on the Chientang River of the Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Line have been fixed at $5,000,000 which will be shared equally by the Ministry of Railways and the Chekiang Provincial Government. The share of the Railways Ministry, which amounts $2,500,000 will be appropriated as soon as Minister Ku Meng Yu returns to the Capital from his vacation at Peiping. Work on the bridge is scheduled to be started middle of September. —Chekiai Agency.

NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

NEW YORK MID-DAY PRICES

The following mid-day prices were received yesterday from New York by Messrs. American Oriental Finance Corporation and S. E. Levy & Co.

COMMODITIES

	Aug. 21 Close	Aug. 22 Open	10.30	11.00	11.30	Mid-day
Sterling	5.09½	5.09	5.09	5.09	5.09	5.09
Cotton: October	13.40	13.33	13.23	13.19	13.22	13.26
Cotton: December	13.54	13.46	13.35	13.33	13.38	13.40
Silk: December	113½	—	114½	114½B	114B	114B
Rubber: September	15.58	15.68	15.73	15.72	15.77	15.80
Rubber: December	16.06	—	16.20	104¾	105⅛	104½
Chicago Wheat: Sept.	104¾	—	104½	106¼	106⅜	106¼
Chicago Wheat: Dec.	106	—	106	76⅜	76¾	76½
Corn: September	75¾	—	76½	78⅜	79	78¾
Corn: December	78¼	—	78½	85¾	85½	85½
Winn. Wheat: Oct.	85⅜					

STOCKS

Am. Smelting	38½	38¾	38½	38½	38¾	38¾
Anaconda Copper	12⅞	13	12⅞	12¾	13¼	13
Auburn	22½	21¾	22½	22½	24¾	24
Baltimore and Ohio	16¼	unq.	16⅜	16½	17½	16⅞
J. I. Case	41	41½	41½	41	41½	42
Consolidated Gas	28⅞	27½	27¾	21½	28⅜	27⅞
Dupont	90⅞	19¾	90⅞	90⅞	91⅞	91⅞
Elec. Bond and Share	11½	11½B	11⅜	11½	11½	11½
General Motors	30⅜	30⅜	30½	30⅜	30⅜	30⅞
Inter. Tel. and Tel.	10½	10½	10½	10⅜	10⅜	10⅞
McIntyre Porcupine	48¼	unq.	unq.	48½	48⅜	48⅜
Montgomery Ward	23½	23½	23⅜	23½	24⅜	24⅜
Natl. Distillers	19½	unq.	19⅜	19	19⅜	19⅜
N. Y. Central	22⅛	22⅛	22	22⅜	22⅜	22⅜
Socony Vacuum	15⅜	15½	15½	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜
Standard Oil of N. J.	44½	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜	45	45½
United Aircraft	14⅞	15	14⅝	14⅜	15⅜	14⅜
U. S. Steel	34½	34½	34½	34⅜	35½	35
Westinghouse	33⅞	33⅜	33⅞	33⅜	33⅞	33⅜
Dow Jones Average	92.57	92.83	—	—	—	—

LATE NIGHT CABLES

The following cables were received last night by Messrs. American Oriental Finance Corporation.

London Forecast

With Traders encouraged by yesterday's reaction against dull conditions, a further improvement is anticipated on Wall Street, though profit-taking is possible later in the day.

The Wheat market is expected to open irregular, though possibly higher.

Rubber prices are expected to be slightly better.

An uncertain Cotton market is anticipated. A mill strike is not likely to occur.

A.O.F.C. New York Cables

Stocks active on higher market to-day, would warrant extended improvement with only minor recessions. Opening firm on good volume. Cotton scattered selling partly induced by rain reports and disappointment on Loan price. Trade buying on all setback.

REICHSMARKS QUOTATIONS

Berlin Aug. 16.

Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee):—

New York	39.47
Paris	92.93
Amsterdam	57.65
Paris Sterling	76.34
Dollar	15.0225

MR. MAX HARTUNG PASSES AWAY

Peiping, Aug. 21.

The death occurred here to-day of Mr. Max Hartung, 65, a German resident, who was a photographer by profession.—*Reuter.*

AIRDROME IN JEHOL

Peiping, Aug. 13.

The Japanese military authorities in Jehol are building an enormous new airdrome occupying an area of more than one thousand mow of land in the Upper Reaches of the Luan River, about 12 miles from Hsifengkow and 33 miles from Chengteh, provincial capital of Jehol, according to information from foreign sources. *Chekiai Agency.*

S. E. Levy & Co.'s Cables

The following cabled reports were furnished by Messrs. S. E. Levy & Co. last night.

American Weather Report

Cotton:—It is torrid in Texas but the extreme west of Texas parts of Oklahoma and the North and Centre are experiencing showery and cooler, but useful, weather. The remainder of the Cotton Belt is unsettled and is having showers which are not wanted.

Grain.—The weather in the Corn Belt is cooler and conditions are more favourable.

The Spring Belt is having cold nights.

General Reports

Favourables: Carloadings this week are expected to show little change, but tariff authorities anticipate a substantial improvement very shortly continuing well into the autumn. Steel operation in Chicago has increased one point to thirty per cent.

Unfavourables: Market is highly professional. Public participation continues to be very small.

Petroleum: The daily average is 2,519 and weekly electricity production 1,674, which is an increase of 1.5 per cent. over last year. Ironage 21, no signs of upturn. Business appeared nevertheless to be difficult. It is believed that the consumption of iron and steel has fallen sharply as the production and therefore it is believed September will usher in some measure of improvement in buying.

Yesterday's advance has resumed trading more active, gains being mostly fractional. American Tel. and Tel. exceptionally rising more than one. There are no apparent changes in the business situation and buyers are expected to follow up the advance cautiously.

JAPANESE TO WITHDRAW

Nanking, Aug. 13.

According to information from foreign sources, the Japanese have agreed to withdraw their troop garrisons at the various Passes along the Great Wall beginning from next month as a result of the negotiations of Mr. Tao Shanming of the Peiping Political Affairs Readjustment Commission with Col. Shibayima, military attache of the Japanese Legation at Peiping. The retrocession of Malanyu is also expected to be effected shortly.

Chekiai Agency.

THE EXCHANGE

MESSRS. ROZA BROS. REPORT

There was no change in Silver prices in London yesterday, the quotation for Spot was 21⅝ and Forward 21 9/16. The same parties operated in the market, namely America and India as purchasers. Sales were for account of China. The closing tone was steady with buying indications at quotations and sellers at slightly over the rate. In New York Sterling opened at 5.08½ and closed at 5.08⅞.

Our official list was put up this morning, rates were:—

Market

The opening tone was on the uncertain side but subsequently some steadiness developed, reacting, however, later.

Sterling

Opened with sellers at 1/6½ and buyers at 1/6 9/16. 1/6 17/32 did not attract buyers but led to business at 1/6 9/16 for September followed by cash and at 1/6 17/32 cash, and the same rate for September. The closing tone was sellers 1/6½ and buyers at 1/6 9/16.

U.S. Dollars

39¼ was on offer and subsequently 39 5/16 with buyers at 39⅜. The last rate was done for delivery the second half of September followed by 39 5/16 for September and the same rate for cash. Closing tone 39¼ sellers, 39⅜ ubyers.

Yen

129 nominal.

Guilders

56⅞.

Shanghai Dollars

110⅞ and 110 11/16.

Shanghai Market

The market was steady, Sterling at 1/4⅜ sellers, 1/4 11/16 buyers, improving later to 1/4 11/16 and 1/4⅜ sellers and buyers respectively. Dollars, sellers at 35½, buyers at 35 5/16. Firmer later at 35⅜ and 35 7/16. A late wire confirmed Sterling at 1/4⅞ buyers but Dollars at 35½.

COMMUNIST TO BE SHOT?

To Appease Public Indignation!

Hankow, Aug. 6.

A report received here from Nanchang confirmed the surrender of Kung Ho-chung, the notorious Communist leader in Southern Kiangsi, on July 25. Kung has arrived Nanchang under armed escort. He is being treated leniently and may probably be granted freedom upon fulfilment of certain conditions in order to leave door open for other Red to reform themselves.

The report further stated that the once influential Communist army commander and right hand man of Chu Teh was compelled to give himself up because of the reverses his army suffered at the hands of the Government troops. The commander of a Government Division stationed at Wan-an, Southern Kiangsi, happened to be Kung's former school mate and he took the opportunity to surrender.

Report from Changsha stated that General Ho Chien took strong exception to the reported leniency given Kung Ho-chung. In a telegram to General Chiang Kai-shek, the Hunan Chairman urges that the notorious Red leader be executed to appease indignation of the populace on the Kiangsi-Hunan-Hupeh border who have been harried and terrorized by his bandit gangs during past few years. (Chekiai Agency).

MR. SUN FOO RETURNING

Nanking, Aug. 13.

It is learned to-day at the Legislative Yuan that Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Yuan, who has been vacationing at Honolulu during the past few weeks, is scheduled to leave the Hawaiian capital city for Shanghai on the 15th inst., by the Dollar Liner President Taft. He is due to arrive at Shanghai on August 30. It is understood that Mr. Sun has abandoned his intention of visiting Hong Kong and Canton on his return trip as he originally planned.—Chekiai Agency.

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QUOTATIONS

New York: August 21.

	High	Low	Last Close	Today's Close	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	5.09⅜	5.08⅝	5.08⅞	5.09½	⅜ off steady
New York Cotton—December	13.54	13.43	13.43	13.54	.11 up
New York Rubber—December	16.16	16.02	15.95	16.06	.11 up
Chicago Wheat —December	106⅜	105⅜	105	106	1 up
Chicago Corn —December	78⅜	77½	76⅜	78¼	1½ up
Silver—Official	—	—	49⅜	49⅜	unchanged

Dow Jones Averages.	High—1933/34	Low:	Aug. 20.	Aug. 21.	Change
30 Industrials	110.74	50.16	90.44	92.57	0.13 up
20 Rails	56.94	25.43	34.54	35.68	0.14 up
20 Utilities	37.73	19.33	20.21	20.48	0.38 up
40 Bonds	95.48	73.21	93.11	93.17	0.06 up
11 Commodity Index	65.45	41.98	63.09	63.72	0.63 up

Div. $ Per. Sh.		1933/34 High	1933/34 Low	Last Sale Aug. 20.	Last Sale Aug. 21.
3.00	Air Reduction	112	47½	$97½	97⅞
6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	160	70⅜	126	129
4.00	American Can	107½	49½	96½	98⅞
—	American Radiator	19	4⅝	13	14
—	American Smelting	55½	10⅜	36½	38½
9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	134⅞	86½	110⅜	112½
5.00	American Tobacco "B"	94⅜	50⅜	74½	76
1.00	American Waterworks	43½	5	16	16⅜
—	Anaconda Copper Mining	22⅞	5	12	12½
—	Auburn	84½	24½	19½bid	22½
—	Bendix Aviation	23⅞	6⅝	12½	13
1.60	Borden Company	37⅞	18	25⅞	26½
—	J. I. Case	103½	30½	38½	41
—	Canadian Pacific	20⅞	7½	14⅜	14⅜
0.50	Caterpillar Co.	33	5½	27	28
1.40	Chase National Bank	40⅜	15⅞	24⅜bid	25½bid
1.00	Chrysler Motors	60⅜	7⅝	32½	34½
3.40	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	64⅜	31½	27⅜	28⅜
—	Curtiss Wright	5½	1½	2⅜	2⅞
2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	103⅞	32⅜	88⅜	90⅜
3.00	Eastman Kodak	100⅜	46	98	98½
—	Electric Auto-Lite Co.	31⅜	10	18½	20½
6% s.	Electric Bond & Share	48	9⅞	10⅞	11½
—	Electric Power and Light	15⅜	3½	3⅞	4½
0.40	General Electric	30½	10½	18⅜	19
1.60	General Foods	39⅞	21	29⅞	30
1.00	General Motors	42	10	29	30⅜
1.00	Gillette Safety	21½	7⅜	11½	11
1.20	Gold Dust	27⅜	12	17½	17⅜
0.60	International Harvester	46⅞	13⅜	28	27
0.10	International Nickel	29	6⅜	25⅜	25½
—	International Tel. & Tel.	21⅜	5½	10⅛	10½
4.00	Liggett & Myers "B"	99⅜	49½	96	97½
1.00	Loew's Inc.	36½	8½	26⅞	28
2.00	Mc Intyre Porcupine	50⅜	18	47⅜	48½
—	Montgomery Ward	35⅜	8⅜	22½	23½
2.00	National Biscuit	60⅜	31½	33	33
1.00	National City Bank	43	16⅞	22⅜bid	23½bid
1.20	National Dairy Products	25⅜	10½	16⅜	16⅞
—	National Distillers	41⅜	20⅞	18½	19½
—	N. Y. Central	58½	14	20½	22½
0.60	Otis Elevator	25½	10⅜	14½bid	14⅜
1.00	Pacific Gas & Electric	31⅞	15	15½	16
—	Packard Motors	8⅞	1⅞	3½	3½
0.50	Pennsylvania Railway	42½	13⅞	22½	23½
—	Radio Corpn.	12½	3	5½	5⅞
—	Sears Roebuck	51½	12½	34	36½
0.40	Socony-Vacuum Corpn.	19⅞	6	15	15⅜
—	Southern Pacific	30⅜	11½	16⅜	18
1.00	Standard Brands	37⅜	13½	19⅜	19⅞
—	Standard Gas	22½	5⅛	7⅜	8⅜
1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	50⅜	22½	44½	44½
1.00	Texas Corporation	31½	10⅜	23⅜	23⅞
0.12½	Trans-America	9⅜	28	5⅞	6
1.00	Union Carbide & Carbon	51⅞	19⅜	41⅜	42½
6.00	Union Pacific	133	61½	96	98⅞
—	United Air and Transport	46⅞	10½	14⅜	14⅜
—	United Corporation	14½	4	3⅞	4
—	United States Steel	67½	23⅜	33⅜	34½
—	Westinghouse E. & M.	58⅜	9⅜	31	33½

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WEATHER CLEAR

But Air Liner Crashes

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

Eleven people were burned to death in the crash of a Swiss air liner to-day near Tuttlingen, in Wurttemberg, not far from Lake Constance.

All the occupants—eight passengers and three crew—lost their lives, says a Reuter telegram from Berlin.

The machine, which belonged to the Swiss Condor Company crashed and burst into flames in a forest.

The police at Tuttlingen state that there were no English passengers.

Four bodies have so far been recovered as well as the log of the pilot.

Engine a Mile Away

The last entry in this reads: "Zurich, 9.25, height 1,500 metres. Weather clear, cloudless."

Eye-witnesses state that the machine was flying at a height of 3,000 feet amid clouds just before the accident. The engine was found almost a mile away from the rest of the wreckage, while parts of the wings and metal parts were strewn over a wide area.

Wings Fell Off

An Exchange telegram states that among the victims were a woman and a child.

Although the cause of the accident is at present a mystery, it is known that the wings dropped off in mid-air.

The machine was flying between Zurich and Stuttgart.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETING

Agenda For To-day.

The agenda for to-day's meeting of the Legislative Council is as follows:—

The Attorney General to move the First reading of—

"A Bill to amend the Printers and Publishers Ordinance, 1927."

The Attorney General to move the Second reading of—

"A Bill to amend the Coroner's Abolition Ordinance, 1888."

"A Bill to amend the Jury Ordinance, 1887."

"A Bill to amend the Official Signatures Fees Ordinance, 1888."

"A Bill to amend the law relating to Merchant Shipping."

"A Bill to amend the Betting Duty Ordinance, 1931."

"A Bill to amend further the Supreme Court Ordinance, 1873."

OVERCROWDED BOOKLANDS

The decision of the Brooklands Committee to eliminate "slow" cars from their meetings is an attempt to solve a very difficult problem. There are so many entries nowadays that in one race there may be three or four cars capable of from 125-140 m.p.h., several of the Midget and Magnette class capable of a top speed or about 120 and quite a number of cars which are not able to reach more than 90 m.p.h.

Many of the moderately paced cars lap high up the banking, thus obstructing the fastest cars, whose speed makes it essential for them to travel at the top of the banking.

It looks as if more and more sub-division of classes would be come necessary. Thus for the August meeting there are more than 150 entries, and twelve instead of the usual nine or ten races will be run.

Scratch races are rare at Brooklands, where handicapping is the general rule. I do not anticipate that the Brooklands Championship, in which Mr. John Cobb's 450 h.p. Napier-Railton is competing against Mr. Dudley Froy's 4,200 c.c. Bugatti and Mr. Oliver Bertram's 12-cylinder Delage, will provide a close race—at any rate for first place.

Reassuring

A busy city man, while weekending with friends, had to pack hurriedly and go, leaving behind him his dress trousers.

On his arrival in London he wired his host:

"Did I leave trousers behind?"

And his host wired back:

"You had a pair on when you left here."

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service.)

On	Sterling Parity	Aug 20	Aug. 21.
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.42½	7.42
Athens	375 Drachmae		525 S.
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars		221
Berlin	20.43 Marks	12.72	12.69
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee		1/6 1/16
Brussels	36 Belgas	21.42	21.40½
Bucharest	813,568 Lei		504
Buenos Aires	47.56d. per Peso	36½ S.O.	36½ S.O.
Copenhagen	18.159 Kroner	22.39½	22.39½
Geneva	25.22½ Francs	15.41½	—
Helsingfors	193.23 Marks		226½
Hongkong		1/6½	1/6½
Lisbon	110 Escudos		110½
Madrid	25.22½ Pesetas		36 13/16
Milan	92.46 Lire	58 21/32	58½
Montevideo	50.33d. per Peso	38½ S.O.	38½ S.O.
Montreal	4.867 Dollars	4.66½	4.96
New York	4.867 Dollars	5.09½	5.03½
Oslo	18.159 Kroner	19.90½	19.90½
Paris	124.21 Francs	76 11/32	76 7/32
Prague	164.25 Kronen	121½	121½
Rio de Janeiro	26.93d. per Gold Milreis	4½ S.O.	4½ S.O.
Shanghai			1/4½
Stockholm	18.159 Kroner	19.39½	19.39½
Vienna	34.58½ Schillings	27	27
Yokohama	24.58d. per Yen		1/2½
Silver (spot)			21½
Silver (forward)			21 9/16
War Loan			104½

Closing Quotations

August 22, 1934.

On London:—
Telegraphic Transfer... } 1/6
Bank Bills, on demand }
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight ... 1/6
Credits, four months' sight ... 1/7
On Shanghai:—
On Demand ... 102½
On Singapore:—
On demand ... 64½
On Japan:—
On demand ... 128
On India:—
Telegraphic Transfer... Bank, on demand ... 01
On New York:—
Bank Bills, on demand 38½
Credits, 60 days' sight... 40
On Batavia:—
On demand ... 56½
On Paris:—
Bank Bills, on demand 590
Credits, 4 months' sight 61½
On Saigon:—
On demand ... 58
On Manila:—
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August 20.
Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. $440N.
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Crack N.S. 14/16 H.K. $285F.
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. $300N.
Waste N.S. Open H.K. $54N.

Yokohama Quotations.

August 21.

	Opening
Spot	Yen 455
Bourse six months	Yen 464

New York Quotations

August 20.

	Bid	Ask
September	1.08½	1.80½
December	1.12	1.12½
February	1.12½	1.13

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DISPOSITION OF CHINA FLEET

Kent.—Weihaiwei.
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Adventure.—Weihaiwei.
Berwick passage U.K. arrives Plymouth 24/8.
Capetown passage Hong Kong arrives Hong September 22.
Sandwich.—Weihaiwei.
Bridgewater.—Hankow sail 3/9 arrives Shanghai 7/9.
Folkestone.—Shanghai sails 3/9 arrives Hankow 13/9.
Falmouth.—Weihaiwei.
Grimsby passage China arrives Singapore 23/10.
Peppel.—Weihaiwei.
Whitehall.—Weihaiwei.
Wishart.—Weihaiwei.
Verity.—Weihaiwei.
Wild Swan.—Peitaiho.
Witch.—Hong Kong.
Whitshed.—Hong Kong.
Wren.—Hong Kong.
Veteran.—Hong Kong.
Medway.—Weihaiwei.
Rainbow.—Weihaiwei.
Phoenix.—Weihaiwei.
Otus.—Weihaiwei.
Olympus.—Weihaiwei.
Odin.—Weihaiwei.
Perseus.—Weihaiwei.
Orpheus.—Weihaiwei.
Oswald.—Hong Kong.
Osiris.—Hong Kong.
Pandora.—Hong Kong sails Aug 23 for Weihaiwei.
Proteus.—Hong Kong sails Aug. 23 for Weihaiwei.
Parthian.—Hong Kong sails Aug. 3 for Weihaiwei.
Bruce.—Weihaiwei.

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SCOTS BOWLER

Death In South Africa

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 9.

Mr. John Watson whose death is announced from Durban, South Africa, was a popular figure in bowling circles in the Natal seaport. A native of Blantyre, he emigrated to South Africa 25 years ago and was employed for many years on the Witwatersrand goldfields. He retired eight years ago and settled in Durban. He was a keen bowler and an ex-holder of the singles championship of the well-known Brakpan Club in the Transvaal. He was also an ex-champion of his former club in Scotland. Mr. Watson was 67 years of age and unmarried.

CONSIDERATE TERRORISTS

Visitors to Salzburg have seen very little of the disturbances in Austria, the Festival city having been one of the quietest in the country.

Even when terrorists bombed a house next door to the Hotel Bristol on Monday, they chose a time when all the visitors were in the Festival Theatre on the other side of the river.

The only intimation the visitors had of anything untoward having occurred was from the smashed windows of neighbouring houses, and from the fact that their rooms had been changed to the front of the hotel.

The bomb exploded in the cellar of the house and wrecked the first floor. It is thought to have been intended for the lodging of an officer named Rosenera, who was in charge of the suppression of the Nazi rising at Lamprechtshausen, the only disturbance in the Salzburg district.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed AT THEIR RISK in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before 11th Sept., 1934, or they will not be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

Hong Kong, 22nd Aug., 1934. [2791

SILVER LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

THE Moter Vessel "SILVERWALNUT"

having arrived from the above Port on 21st Aug., Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 25th August, 1934, at 10 a.m.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the vessel's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Good remaining undelivered after the 28th August, 1934, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hong Kong, 21st Aug., 1934. [2788

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

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General Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to the Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from the Godown on and after 20th Aug.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all General Cargo remaining undelivered after 27th Aug., will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th Sept., 1934, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurances will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

20th Aug., 1934. [2786

HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE S.S. "BOCHUM"

having arrived from Hamburg and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after Friday, the 24th Aug., will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, 23rd Aug., at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before Monday, the 17th Sept., 1934, or they will not be recognised.

No Insurance will be effected.

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Hong Kong, 16th Aug., 1934. [2782

CHINA NAVIGATION
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Amoy & Shanghai	"TAIYUAN"	On 23rd Aug., 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Shanghai	"KWANGTUNG"	On 24th Aug., 4 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"HUPEH"	On 25th Aug., 3 p.m.
Hoihow & Singapore	"KINGYUAN"	On 25th Aug., 3 p.m.
Foochow, Shanghai, Dairen & Newchwang	"TEAN"	On 26th Aug., 6 a.m.
Amoy, Swatow & Singapore	"ANHUI"	On 27th Aug., 8 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUNNING"	On 27th Aug., 3 p.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KIANGSU"	On 27th Aug., 4 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUIYANG"	On 29th Aug., 3 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On 29th Aug., 6 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Shanghai	"YOCHOW"	On 31st Aug., 3 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 31st Aug., 3 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SZECHUEN"	On 2nd Sept., 2 p.m.
Swatow, Foochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HUNAN"	On 2nd Sept. 3 p.m.
Foochow, Shanghai, Dairen & Newchwang	"CHINHUA"	On 2nd Sept., 5 p.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWANGCHOW"	On 3rd Sept., 4 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On 4th Sept., 3 p.m.
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FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

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Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), August 24.
An Hui, B. & S. August 27.
Hai Yang, Douglas', August 28.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 1.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.

Chefoo.
Hang Sang, Jardine's August 24.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.

Dairy.
Tean, B. & S. August, 26.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.

Foochow.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, August 23.
Hai Ning, Douglas', August 24.
Hang Sang, Jardine's August 24.
Tean, B. & S. August, 26.
Hai Yang, Douglas', August 28.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.

JAPAN (Direct).
Talthybius, B. & S., August 23.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 31.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.

Keelung.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.

Newchwang
Tean, B. & S. August, 26.

Otaru.
Lycaon, B. & S., August 28.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.

Shanghai and Japan
Delhi, Gilman's, August 23.
Mantua, P. & O., August 23.
Aramis, Messageries', August 24.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 24.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), August 24.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
City of Lille, Bank Line, August 28.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., September 5.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., September 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.
Phemius, B. & S., September 11.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.
Comorin, P. & O., September 20.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., August 23.
Kwang Tung, B. & S., August 24.
Tean, B. & S. August, 26.
Sun Ning, B. & S. August 27.
Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 27.
Lycaon, B. & S., August 28.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.

Swatow.
Hai Ning, Douglas', August 24.
Hang Sang, Jardine's August 24.
Kwang Tung, B. & S., August 24.
An Hui, B. & S. August 27.
Kiang Su, B. & S., August 27.
Sun Ning, B. & S. August 27.
Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 27.
Hai Yang, Douglas', August 28.
Hiram, Thoresen's, August 28.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.

Taku Bar.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.

Tientsin.
Hang Sang, Jardine's August 24.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.

Tsingtao.
Sun Ning, B. & S. August 27.
Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 27.
Lycaon, B. & S., August 28.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Fang, B. & S., August 29.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Baltimore.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Boston and New York.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 15.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Cristobal
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

Honolulu.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 24.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

Los Angeles
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 27.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Panama.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Philadelphia.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Portland.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 27.

Puget Sound.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 27.

San Francisco.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 27.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwells', September 18.

Seattle.
Talthybius, B. & S., August 23.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.

Vancouver, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., August 23.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 24.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

Victoria, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., August 23.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 24.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Bali.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Bangkok.
Bintang, Manners', August 26.
Kiang Su, B. & S., August 27.
Hiram, Thoresen's, August 28.

Batavia.
Tjisondari, J. C. J. Line, August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

Brisbane.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Cairns.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Cebu
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.

Davao
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.

Derby.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.

Freemantle.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.

Haiphong.
Hupeh, B. & S., August 24
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.

Hobart.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Hoihow.
Hupeh, B. & S., August 24.
King Yuan, B. & S., August 25.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.

Java.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Macassar
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18

Manila.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, August 25.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 30.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's August 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Melbourne.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Menado.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.

Pakho'
Hupeh, B. & S., August 24.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31

Rabaul.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Saigon.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.

Semarang.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

Socrabia.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

South Sea Islands.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Suva.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Thursday Island.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Townsville.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Tulagi.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Alexandria.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.

Algiers.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Alicante
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.

Amsterdam.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Antwerp.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Barcelona.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Bombay.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

Bremen.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.

Brindisi
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.

Calcutta.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.

Casablanca.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Colombo.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Copenhagen
Danmark, Manners', August 28.

Danzig.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Djibouti.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.

Genoa.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Gibraltar.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Glasgow.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Gothenburg.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Gdynia.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Hamburg.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Havre.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.

Hull.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Liverpool.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

London.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Marseilles.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Naples.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Siamese Prince, Furness', September 18.

Oran.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Oslo.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Penang.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 1.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Plymouth.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Port Said.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Port Swettenham.
Talma, B. J. (Apcar) August 31.

Rangoon.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.

Rotterdam.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Singapore.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
King Yuan, B. & S., August 25.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Alster, Melcher's, August 26.
An Hui, B. & S. August 27.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Suez.
Athos II, Messageries', August 28.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Tangier.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Trieste.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Tripoli.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.

United Kingdom and Continental Ports.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.

Venice.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

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SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

To	Steamship	Date
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"YUENSANG"	Mon., 27th Aug., at 5 p.m.
	"NORVIKEN"	Wed., 29th Aug., at 5 p.m.
	"DAVIKEN"	Sun., 2nd Sept., at 5 p.m.
	"SANDVIKEN"	Wed., 5th Sept., at 5 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOY & KOBE	"HOSANG"	Satur., 1st Sept., at 10 a.m.
KOBE via AMOY, S'HAI. & OSAKA	"KUMSANG"	Tues., 18th Sept., at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG"	Satur., 8th Sept., at 4 p.m.
SANDAKAN	"MAUSANG"	Thurs., 23rd Aug., at Noon
	"HINSANG"	Fri., 14th Sept., at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW & CHEFOO.	"HANGSANG"	Fri., 24th Aug., at 3 p.m.
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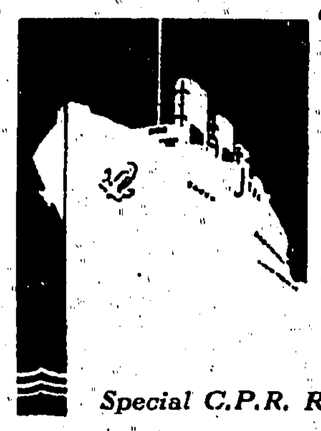
Alster, Melcher's, August 25.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Antenor, B. & S., August 28.
Aramis, Messageries', August 24.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., Sept. 4.
Bhutan, P. & O., October 2.
Bintang, Manners', August 26.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Canton, Gilman's, August 24.
City of Lille, Bank Line, August 28.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Coblenz, Melchers', September 21.
Comorin, P. & O., September 19.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Danmark, Manners', August 28.
Diomed, B. & S., Sept. 10.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Sept. 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 29.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Glaucus, B. & S., October 11.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 30.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Hai Ning, Douglas', August 23.
Hai Yang, Douglas', August 27.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 30.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 30.
Isar, Melchor's, September 6.
Ixion, B. & S., September 27.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 24.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Lycaon, B. & S., August 28.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Mentor, B. & S., August 28.
Mirzapore, P. & O., August 31.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., October 3.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, August 25.
Phemius, B. & S., September 11.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 31.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 30
Pres. Grant, A. M. Line, October 5.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, September 28.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 27.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, September 7.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, August 24.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, October 9.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Sept. 21.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, September 17.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 27.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, August 31.
Rajputana, P. & O., October 3.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.
Ranpura, P. & O., August 25.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Sept. 5.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 3.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Silverwalnut, Furness', September 4.
Somali, P. & O., September 15.
Sun Ning, B. & S., August 23.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 11.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 17.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), Sept. 5.
Talma, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 29.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 29.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Teiresias, B. & S., September 25.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Tjisondari, J. C. J. Line, August 28.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), September 19.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 16.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 24.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.



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Eo pr. of Russia	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 11	Sept. 13	Sept. 15		Sept. 24
Empr. of Japan	Sept. 21	Sept. 23		Sept. 26	Sept. 28	Oct. 4	Oct. 9
Empr. of Asia	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 11	Oct. 13		Oct. 22
Empr. of Canada	Oct. 19	Oct. 21		Oct. 24	Oct. 26	Nov. 12	Nov. 7
Empr. of Russia	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 8	Nov. 10		Nov. 19

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FUSHIMI MARU ... Saturday, 15th Sept.
HAKOZAKI MARU ... ... Saturday, 29th Sept.

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ATSUTA MARU ... ... Saturday, 22nd Sept.

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† TOYAMA MARU ... ... Tuesday, 11th Sept.
† LISBON MARU ... Friday, 28th Sept.

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ARAMIS	... 11th Sept.	ANDRE LEBON	... 9th Sept.
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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 18,400 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
14,700 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
British		
Carnarvonshire, Keelung	—	7,295
Sirdhana, Singapore	1,819	3,705
Foo Shing, Canton	—	577
Silver Walnut, Shanghai	1,486	400
Hupeh, Amoy	980	535
Therese Moller, Swatow	700	—
King Yuan, Swatow	248	110
Hang Sang, Tsingtao	929	624
Selstan, Samoa	—	—
Kwangtung, Holhow	2,111	616
Holhow, Canton	—	120
	8,273	13,982
Norwegian		
Fingal, Bangkok	3,160	—
	3,160	—
Japanese		
Miharu Maru, Milke	5,028	—
	5,028	—
Chinese		
Cheung On, Shanmei	15	—
An Shing, Canton	—	650
	15	650
Total	16,476	14,732

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Sirdhana (Br.), Singapore	565
Hupeh (Br.), Amoy	13
King Yuan (Br.), Swatow	71
Hang Sang (Br.), Tsingtao	12
Selstan (Br.), Samoa	411
Kwangtung (Br.), Holhow	143
Holhow (Br.), Canton	10
Fingal (Nor.), Bangkok	12
Cheung On (Ch.), Shanmei	25
An Shing (Ch.), Canton	71
Total	1,333

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	11	9
American	0	1
Norwegian	1	4

CLEARANCES

22ND. AUGUST.

Tean, for Canton.
King Yuan, for Canton.
Talthybius, for Milke.
Foo Shing, for Swatow.
Selstan, for Swatow.
Hague Maru, for Moji.
Shojun Maru, for Kemaman.
Wing Lee, for Canton.
Foo Shing, for Swatow.
Holhow, for Swatow.
Tai Poo Sek, for K. C. Wan.
Gyokoh Maru, for Keelung.
Hang Sang, for Canton.
Carnarvonshire, for Singapore.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT

The s.s. Ranpura left Shanghai for this Port on the 21st instant at 4 p.m., and is due here on the 24th instant at about 7 a.m.

Dutch	0	1
Portuguese	0	1
Japanese	1	3
Chinese	2	0
Total	15	19

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—Sirdhana, Empress of Canada.
Socony—Laichikok: — Hannah Moller.
China Merchants.—Tai Poo Sek.
Douglas Lapraik:—Hai Ning. Selstan.
Quarry Bay:—Kanchow.
Chiu On:—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon. — Saxicova. Michael Jebsen.
Taikoo:—H.M.S. Osiris, Sai On Soochow.

BUOYS

No. A5.—Bintang.
No. A7.—Carnarvonshire.
No. A8.—Talthybius.
No. A9.—Tjisadane.
No. A13.—Gyokok Maru.
No. A15.—Silver Walnut.
No. A17.—Van Heutsz.
No. B1.—Holhow.
No. B2.—Foo Shing.
No. B4.—Wing Lee.
No. B5.—Promise.
No. B6.—Bremerhaven.
No. B8.—Hang Sang.
No. B9.—Havdrot.
No. B10.—Halvdan.
No. B11.—Breiviken.
No. B12.—Chian Lee.
No. B13.—Haldis.
No. B14.—Barge.
No. B15.—Kiangsu.
No. B17.—Clara Jebsen.
No. B18.—Fingal.
No. B19.—Hero.
No. B20.—Hupeh.
No. B21.—Kwangtung.
No. B22.—Mau Sang.
No. B23.—Miharu Maru.
No. B25.—Shyojin Maru.
No. C1.—Hafthor.
No. C3.—Tchekam.
No. C4.—Huashan Maru.

ARRIVALS

22ND. AUGUST.

Carnarvonshire, British str., 5,886 tons, Captain W. J. Ings, from Keelung, buoy No. A7.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Canton Maru, Japanese str., 1,647 tons, Captain H. Misaka, from Swatow, O. S. K. Wharf.—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.
Empress of Canada, British str., 12,811 tons, Captain W. T. Kinley, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—C. P. R. Co.
Foo Shing, British str., 1,423 tons, Captain R. C. Thompson, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Fingal, Norwegian str., 1,244 tons, Captain A. E. Hansen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B18.—Chiu Seng Hong.
General Pershing, American str., 2,732 tons, Captain J. S. Smith, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—States & Co.
Hague Maru, Japanese str., 5,641 tons, Captain G. Saiton, from Calcutta via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.
Hai Ning, British str., 840 tons, Captain E. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.
Holhow, British str., 1,629 tons, Captain A. Cook, from Canton, buoy No. B1.—Butterfield & Swire.
Huashan Maru, Japanese str., 1,283 tons, Captain Y. Takayama, from Canton, buoy No. C1.—N. Y. K.
Kwangtung, British str., 1,572 tons, Captain D. D. Richards, from Holhow, buoy No. B21.—Butterfield & Swire.
M. S. Fulda, German str., 5,525 tons, Captain R. Arndt, from Bremen via Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers & Co.
Mantua, British str., 5,866 tons, Captain J. M. Legg, from London via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
Tjisadane, Dutch str., 5,780 tons, Captain Abbo, from Tg Priok, buoy No. A9.—J. C. J. Line.
Tin Seng, Chinese str., 943 tons, Captain Kwok Shaw, from K. C. Wan, Saikong Wharf.—Tai Fung & Co.
Van Heutsz, Dutch str., 2,749 tons, Captain S. Helleman, from Swatow, buoy No. A17.—J. C. J. Line.
Yuen Sang, British str., 1,984 tons, Captain D. G. Burleigh, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.
Wing Lee, British str., 651 tons, Captain J. E. Harvey, from Holhow, buoy No. B4.—Tai Fung & Co.

21ST. AUGUST.

Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Captain N. Hirose, from Canton, Osaka Shosen Kaisha Wharf.—O. S. K.
Hupeh, British str., 1,628 tons, Captain J. Taylor, from Newchwang via Amoy, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

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†* "SOMALI"	7,000	15th Sept.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, London, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"MANTUA"	11,000	22nd Sept.	Marseilles and London.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	6th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
†* "BANGALORE"	6,000	13th Oct.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dam, A'werp., & Hull.
"COMORIN"	15,000	20th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	3rd Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
†* "BHUTAN"	6,000	10th Nov.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"CHITRAL"	15,000	17th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
†* "BEHAR"	6,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†* "SOUDAN"	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
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"SIRDHANA"	8,000	23rd Aug., 6 a.m.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"MANTUA"	11,000	23rd Aug., 10 a.m.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"NANKIN"	7,000	2nd Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka, & Y'hama
†* "BANGALORE"	6,000	5th Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	6th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	8,000	7th Sept.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"COMORIN"	15,000	20th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TILAWA"	10,000	21st Sept.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
*† "BHUTAN"	6,000	3rd Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokahama.
"NELLORE"	7,000	3rd Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	5th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
*† "BEHAR"	6,100	14th Oct.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	9th Oct.	do.
"TALMA"	10,000	19th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"SOUDAN"	7,000	31st Oct.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	2nd Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
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Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water: Hong Kong Standard Time.	High Water: Height.	Low Water: Hong Kong Standard Time.	Low Water: Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Thur.	23	07 25	7 5	00 10	3 6
		21 45	4 6	14 48	6 5
Fri.	24	08 20	7 8	01 48	3 2
		22 10	4 9	15 2[illegible]	[illegible] 4
Sat.	25	09 11	7 8	02 36	2 7
		22 37	5 2	15 51	0 6
Sun.	26	09 58	7 8	03 23	3 3
		23 05	5 7	16 31	1 2
Mon.	27	10 45	7 4	04 12	2 2
		23 35	5 9	17 03	1 7
Tues.	28	11 33	6 7	05 02	2 2
		—	—	17 24	2 2
Wed.	29	00 07	6 9	05 55	2 1
		12 20	5 9	18 00	2 6

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, August 22.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer...	29 65	29 71	29.63
Temperature	79	83	82
Humidity.	94	86	87
Wind—			
Direction	ENE	E	E
Force ...	4	5	5
Weather	O	C	C
Rain	0.87	0.00	2.13

Highest open-air Temperature, 21:81
Lowest open-air Temperature, 23:77

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showtrs; J=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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Hong Kong, June 12th, 1934.

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W. H. E. THOMAS,
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Hong Kong, Feb. 11th, 1934. [30

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Special Working Capital	50,000,000
Reserves	33,352,000

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Lyon	Hong Kong	

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A. L. BRUSSET,
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Hong Kong 15th August, 1934.

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Paid-up Capital 5,598,600 00
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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

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KAN TONG PO,
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From	Per	Due
JAPAN	*La Plata Maru* ...	23rd Aug.
SHANGHAI and AMOY	*Sansing* ...	23rd Aug.
JAPAN	*Kitano Maru* ...	24th Aug.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Asama Maru* ...	24th Aug.
JAPAN, SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London, 2nd August) ...	*Ranpura* ...	24th Aug.
SAIGON	*Aramis* ...	24th Aug.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 4th Aug.)	*Pres. Jefferson* ...	24th Aug.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Suiyang* ...	25th Aug.
SAIGON and AIR MAIL ex Marseilles—Saigon Service	*Heliken* ...	25th Aug.
MANILA	*Pres. Taft* ...	27th Aug.
JAPAN	*Tokiwa Maru* ...	27th Aug.
JAPAN	*Genoa Maru* ...	27th Aug.
STRAITS & AIR MAIL ex Imperial Airways Service	*Anshun*	28th Aug.
STRAITS	*Terukuni Maru* ...	28th Aug.
STRAITS	*Lycaon*	28th Aug.
SHANGHAI	*Antenor*	28th Aug.
SHANGHAI	*Mentor*	28th Aug.
SHANGHAI	*Athos II*	28th Aug.
STRAITS	*Tango Maru* ...	29th Aug.
JAPAN	*Talma*	29th Aug.
JAPAN	*Tanda*	29th Aug.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 11th August) ...	*Emp. of Russia* ...	29th Aug.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	*Hosang*	3 th Aug.
SHANGHAI	*Mirsapore*	30th Aug.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 10th August) ...	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	3 th Aug.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 3rd August) ...	*Pres. Adams* ...	31st Aug.
STRAITS	*Menesthous* ...	31st Aug.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Suwa Maru* ...	31st Aug.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA ...	*Nankin* ...	1st Sept.

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For	Per	Date and Time
		Thursday 23rd,
Shanghai and *Japan	*Mantua* ...	8.30 A M
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow ...	*Deli Maru* ...	10.30 A M
Sandakan	*Mausang* ...	10.30 A M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, ...	*La Plata Maru* ...	2.30 P M
Swatow	*Hydrangea* ...	3.00 P M
Amoy	*Tai Yuan* ...	3.30 P M
Amoy	*Tjisadane* ...	5.00 P M
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver, B.C., 12th September —and EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Emp. of Canada*	Par. 23rd, 5.00 P M Reg. 24th, 9.15 A M Letters 10.00 A M
		Friday, 24th,
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Hupeh* ...	1.00 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Ning* ...	3.00 P M
Shanghai and Japan	*Aramis* ...	4.30 P M
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Ranpura ...	*K.P.O.* Reg. 24th, 4.30 P M Let. 24th, 5.00 P M *G.P.O.* Reg. 24th, 5.00 P M Let. 25th, 9.00 A M
		Kowloon P.O.
		Par. 24th, 4.30 P M
		Reg. 25th, 9.00 A M
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 21st September	*Ranpura* ...	Letters 10.00 A M *G.P.O.* Par. 24th, 5.00 P M Reg. 25th, 9.45 A M Letters 10.30 A M
		Saturday, 25th,
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island,—due Thursday Island, 6th September...	*Kitano Maru* ...	Reg. 8.45 A M Letters 9.30 A M
Hoihow	*Kingyuan* ...	1.30 P M
Saigon	*Haida*	3.30 P M
Amoy	*Tjisalak*	4.30 P M
Manila	*Pres. Jefferson* ...	4.30 P M
Foochow	*Tean*	5.00 P M
		Sunday, 26th,
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Canton Maru* ...	9.00 A M
		Monday, 27th M
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kiangsu*	2.30 P M
		Tuesday, 28th,
Batavia	*Tjisondari* ...	9.30 A M
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service" ...	Athos II...	*K.P.O.* Reg. 9.30 A M Let. 9.30 A M *G.P.O.* Reg. 10.00 A M Let. 10.30 A M
		Kowloon P.O.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th September	*Athos II* ...	Reg. 10.00 A M Letters 11.00 A M *G.P.O.* Reg. 10.45 A M Letters 11.30 A M
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and *Haiphong	*G. A. Paul Doumer*	1.00 P M
Haiphong	*Canton*	2.00 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang*	2.00 P M
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 18th Sept., and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Pres. Taft* ...	Parcels 3.00 P M Reg. 4.15 P M Letters 5.00 P M
		Wednesday, 29th,
		Kowloon P.O.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th September	*Antenor* ...	Reg. 1.00 P M Letters 1.00 P M *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P M Letters 2.30 P M

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